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Mars Hill College is a small liberal arts institution located nineteen miles north of Asheville, North Carolina in the mountains of Western North Carolina. Established in 1856, it has continuously grown to a present enrollment of 1331 students, with a faculty and staff numbering 121.

Four degrees are offered by the college: Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Music Education. One- and two-year programs in secretarial science and accounting are offered along with a two-year pre-engineering course. Pre-professional courses in law, medicine, the ministry and other fields are also offered.

Students leaving Mars Hill are encouraged to keep in touch with the college through the Alumni Association. This association, directed by Mr. Walter Smith, provides former students with information concerning college events and activities.

foreword

The Laurel is a book of memories from Mars Hill College. Into a few short pages you will find crammed a year's life. The whole story can't be found here, only pieces, moments designed to jog a thought, a remembrance.

The time for remembering is not 1967; the past is still linked with the present. Skim the pages for now, the pictures are to be laughed at and enjoyed.

But when the mist of time clouds the memory and you are far from these mountains, The Laurel will, for a moment, transport you back across time and distance. You will catch the face of a friend, a roommate, a favorite teacher. Then there will be a smile, perhaps a tear, but always a memory. . . .

MARS HILL COLLEGE
HOME
VISITOR
MARS HILL COLLEGE
SUMMER SESSION
Pepsi-Cola
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STUDENT'S HAN

september—it all began

a void to be filled with new life

a new life to be shocked into reality

acquisition of headaches, fear, brain wrinkles

satisfaction, depression, friendships, faith and love

rejection of outmoded ideas, despair, ourselves

prejudices, and the fear of being rejected

everything top priority, a false state of nothingness

would you believe

hoarseness and excitement brew in the lions den

a quick trip down the road—that first quiz

empty mail boxes—an endless maze of umbrellas

anxious wait for rush invitations—our morning hymn is

why?—why not? quiet walks through nonlondon fog

bridge hands grossly underbid

papers, money, luck always overdue

winston, marlboro, kent, salem, etc.

that moment of realization and reassurance

beauty and life, hand in hand

youth at its fullest

a young man—a young woman

a time to live, a time to cry

a time to sow, a time to laugh

a time to reap, a time to question

a time—a place

an endless circle often out of proportion

striving to be well rounded

see you in september

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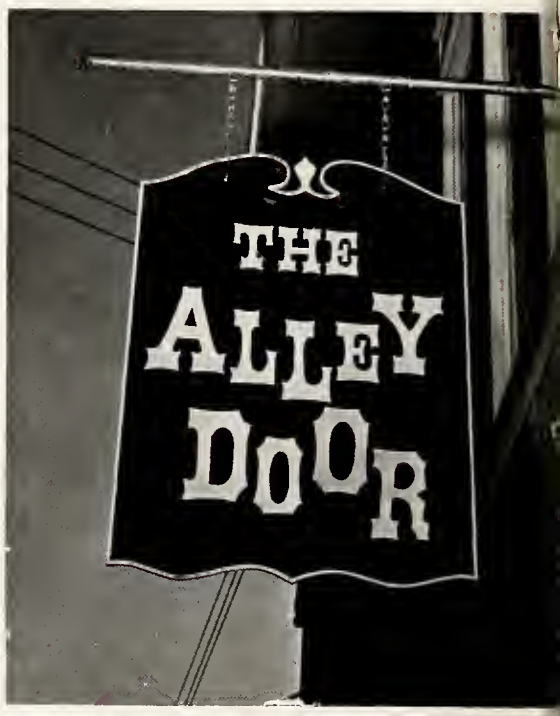
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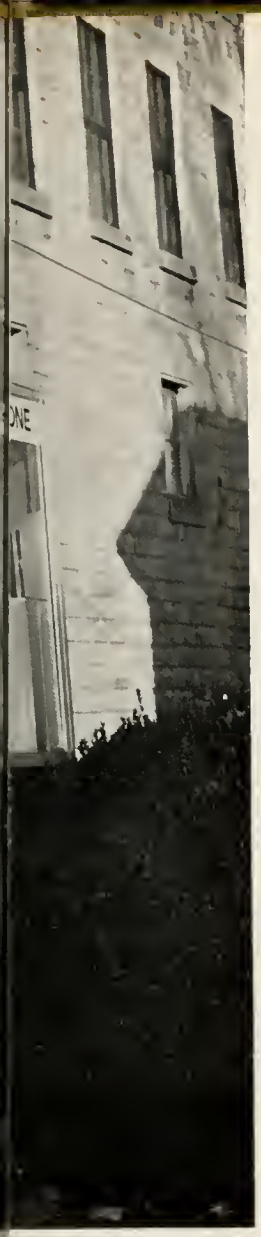
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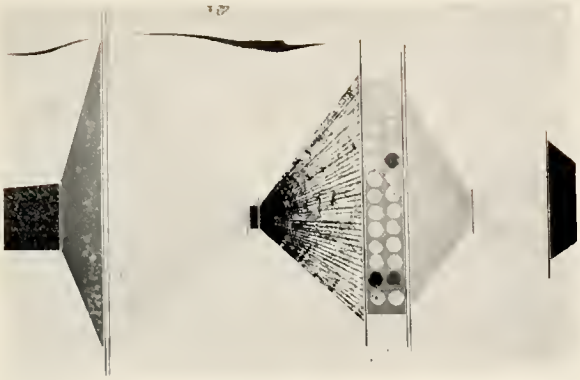

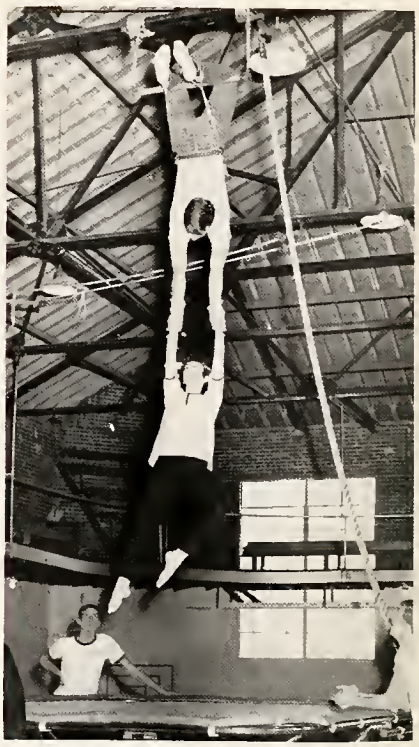

mr. walter p. smith

we dedicate

The 1967 *laurel* is dedicated to a man whose record of service to Mars Hill College speaks for itself. His hours of work go uncounted; he makes no mention of them. In his work as adviser to the *laurel* and the *hilltop*, he serves as photographer and chief morale booster, while assisting in all areas of publication.

Since joining the college staff in 1954, he has accepted responsibility willingly and has carried out his duties in a truly superior manner, maintaining at all times a warmth and friendliness of spirit that is uniquely his own. An alumnus of Mars Hill himself, he now supervises all alumni work. In addition, he is in charge of all publications and nearly all college publicity. His title of Director of Public Information seems hardly adequate to cover the scope of his work.

Because of his dedicated service, his never ending cooperation, and his sincere interest in young people . . . we, the students, respectfully . . . and gratefully dedicate the *1967 laurel* to Mr. Walter Smith.

a quiz, a smile, an explanation, an oddity
a duty well executed, a facial expression
an endless lecture abundant with weary facts
an unbelievable question
an unbelievable answer
tangible work accompanied by intangible praise
they offer their knowledge
while boosting our morale
they offer their condolences
while crushing our aspirations
making us what they feel we should be
unique and diversified qualities
making each an individual
individualistic
each passessing a distinguishable sameness
dedication to a cause
a belief
an entity
friendliness to a life, to an idea
integrity for us, for themselves
sincerity for a purpose
a completeness
they present, we partake
with quietness, thankfulness, doubt
sadness, faith, and happiness
their intellect—our future

administration

dr. fred blake bentley
president of mars hill college

The inauguration of Dr. Fred Blake Bentley brought to Mars Hill College the dawn of a new era. During his first few months in office, Dr. Bentley has instilled in campus life his own desire for "emphasis on excellence." He was unanimously elected to succeed the retiring Dr. Hoyt Blackwell. The new president, a native of Roanoke, Virginia, received his B.M. degree from Baylor University, his M. R. E. degree from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, and his Ed.D. degree from Indiana University. In addition, he did research at the Institute Pedagogigue National in Paris.

His youth, energy, and qualities of leadership along with his dedication to serve have earned for Dr. Bentley the respect and admiration of the students as well as the faculty and staff. Dr. Bentley seems to adhere to the belief that there is a bright future in store for those young people who are willing to prepare for it.

administration

mary katherine logan, m.a.
dean of women

ralph marion lee, m.a.
academic dean
professor of business administration

Mars Hill's three deans are active in college affairs. Dean Lee is the chief faculty administrator. Dean Lynch is active in student affairs in an advisory capacity. Also active in student affairs as they pertain to young women is Dean Logan. The deans work closely with students wherever they can be of service.

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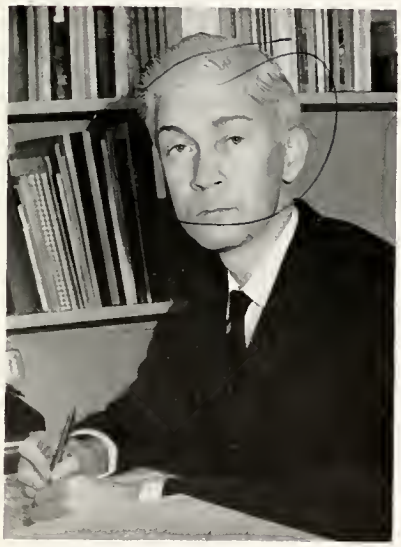

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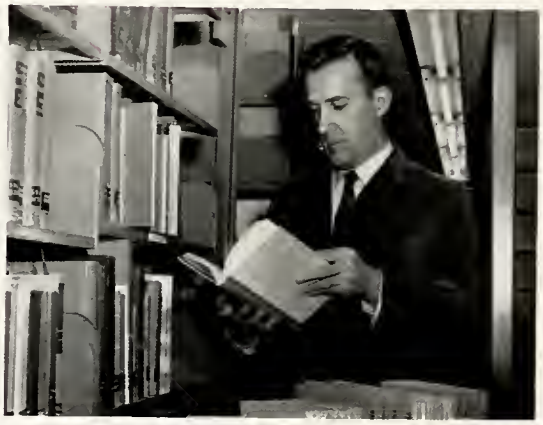

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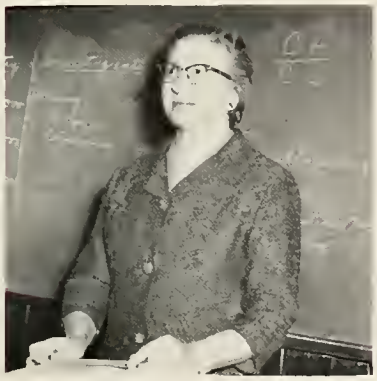

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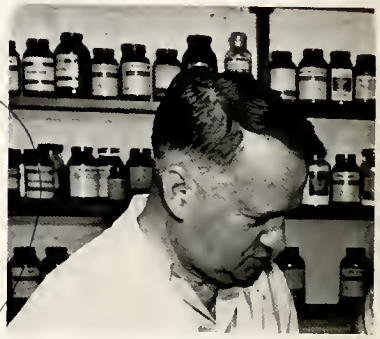

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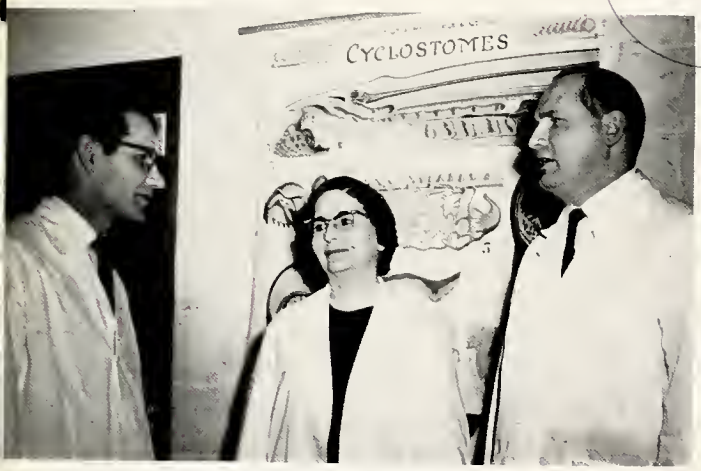

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hostesses: lillie rogers, treat; ruby alexander, brown; rose main, melrose; maxine fulcher, myers; marion arnette, spilman

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james malon fish, assistant superintendent

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martha clark
secretaries in the office of building and grounds

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mary jo humpston, dietitian
don caldwell, manager of cafeteria
julia tilson, hostess of cafeteria

roberta roper
college nurse

ernest powell, college physician
charles powell, college physician
w. otis duck, college physician

a moment always treasured
one of happiness, one of sadness
a crown of glory, a crown of humility
upon a head
the epitome of an all-american girl
a court of loveliness
assembled in unparalled enthusiasm
why me?
culmination of a lifetime
one fleeting moment of realization
the support of the masses
the envy of all
the sounds of applause
accompanied by smiles of approval
a theme
an idea
a song
an endless walk down an immeasureable maze
a feeling of loneliness and inadequacy
surrounded by a multitude of supporters
a regal representation of beauty
poise and friendliness
we pay tribute, they fulfill
with radiant qualities
only they can possess

features

Beverly Cansler, who represented Spilman Dormitory, pleased both the audience and the judges as she presented a monologue entitled "Paul Talk" from Peter, Paul, and Mary's album *In Concert,* and floated down the staircase in a stunning emerald green velvet dress.

miss laurel

"On a Clear Day" plans for the 1967 "Miss Laurel" Pageant began. Seventeen lovely and talented contestants were chosen to represent the various dormitories and classes. Each girl hopefully planned her talent and carefully selected her evening gown. Three experienced judges were chosen for the panel that would select the new queen: Mr. Tuck Gudger from Asheville, who had previously judged "Miss South Carolina" and "Miss Illinois" pageants; Mrs. Teresa Baucom from Waynesville, who had been "Miss Charlotte," and Senator Bruce Briggs from Mars Hill.

Rehearsals were few and far between, but each contestant refused to become discouraged and seemed determined to represent her class or dormitory well. Suddenly "On a Clear Day" became a reality and no longer a dream. The stage was set and the auditorium was full. Contestants began singing, acting, and smiling their way through the preliminary rounds of judging. With tension mounting, the judges chose five finalists: Beverly Cansler, the representative from Spilman Dormitory; Janis Elam, the representative from the Junior Class; Cornelia Akers, the representative from Stroup Dormitory; Ann Peebles, the representative from Fox Dormitory; and Debbie Bauer, the representative from Brown Dormitory.

The tension was eased somewhat by the announcement of Becky Sluder, the Freshman Class representative, as "Miss Congeniality" and the farewell speech of a radiant and vivacious "Miss Laurel" of 1966, Pam Culler.

hours of tension are climaxed by the announcement of a winner

first runner-up was miss janis elam

miss becky sluder was chosen by the other contestants to be awarded the title of "miss congeniality"

Janis Elam, chosen to represent the Junior Class, brought tears to many eyes with her rendition of the graveyard scene from Wilder's *Our Town;* but quickly changed those tears to delight when she reappeared on stage in a shimmering white crepe sheath.

finalists 1967

Ann Peebles, representing Fox Dormitory, gave the audience a chance to pat their feet with her piano solo "Deep Purple." She captivated them again when she appeared in the evening gown competition wearing a mint green peau-de-soie gown with bell shaped skirt.

Cornelia Akers, the representative from Stroup Dormitory, created a fabulous mood with her vocal solo entitled "Love Is Where You Find It," and sustained this mood by appearing in the archway dressed in a blushing pink gown with a jeweled bodice.

Debbie Bauer, Brown Dormitory's representative, transported the audience to Carnegie Hall with her pantomine of a selection from the album *Julie Andrews and Carol Burnett in Carnegie Hall;* but she quickly brought them back to reality as she appeared on stage in a gown of emerald green velvet and white satin accented by a pink cumberbund.

five lucky finalists—all lovely, all talented

strains of *My Fair Lady* brought to the stage by miss ronda stanton

beautiful to look at, delightful to listen to—jean miller and don tesh were wonderful as mistress and master of ceremonies

1967 miss laurel pageant

As questions were asked of each of the five finalists, "On a Clear Day" was rapidly reaching an exciting climax. The judges, impressed by the beauty and talent of the girls, managed at last to choose the first runner-up — Janis Elam. Finally came the long-awaited announcement of the new "Miss Laurel" who was as bright as the sun in the sky "On a Clear Day." She was contestant number four, Miss Beverly Cansler. As the audience rose to its feet in a standing ovation, the new "Miss Laurel" smiled through tears of joy and surprise beginning her reign as yearbook queen.

Much of the success of the 1967 Miss Laurel Pageant can be attributed to the efforts of Bill Carter, general director of the event. His work began early in the fall and continued through long months of planning and preparation climaxed by the pageant itself. His cooperation and patience were invaluable in the production and presentation of this exciting event.

long hours of planning pay off for pageant directors bill carter and mike yelton

a lovely queen prepares to give up her crown

miss brenda dunn
1966 homecoming queen

Each fall there comes to Mars Hill an air of excitement which unmistakably spells Homecoming. Homecoming 1966 will doubtless go down as one of the most memorable of all time. Not only did the college preserve the traditions of this special event, but also combined them with the inauguration of a new president.

The weather was beautiful and so was the Queen, Miss Brenda Dunn, a senior English major from Clinton. She was crowned by Dr. Bentley in one of his first duties as the new president.

homecoming queen

brenda and escort
casey ward

football queen

myra escorted by
jimmy roberts

Each fall in addition to the Homecoming Queen there is a Football Queen, chosen by the members of the team. This year's queen was Miss Myra Burgin, a sophomore from Forest City. She was crowned by Lion co-captains Bill Dyar and Doug Echols.

The campus was crowded with visitors from all over the United States. Groups of alumni, a definite trace of nostalgia about them, explored the campus "remembering when."

So it was that November 5, 1966, came and went. The months of planning and preparing were climaxed by a day that passed with amazing rapidity bringing with it the long awaited "New Era."

miss myra burgin
1966 football queen

homecoming 1967

there is always time to pause for refreshment

junior class homecoming representative . . .
miss judy henson

senior class representative . . .
miss joyce duckett

a large homecoming crowd packs the stands to watch the lions fight for a victory that will not come

members of the 1966 homecoming court gather to discuss plans of the exciting events to come

freshman class homecoming representative . . .
miss martha person

sophomore class representative . . .
miss diane cowan

joyce and escort bob gibson stop to talk with a friend

may queen 1967

miss judy hill, a senior, was chosen by the student body as the 1967 may queen.

miss ann peebles, maid of honor

miss joyce duckett, senior class

miss linda brookshire
senior class

miss linda walker
senior class

may court

miss russ lancaster, junior class

miss jean miller, junior class

miss maxie rayford, junior class

miss lynette vaughn, sophomore class

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miss pam culler, sophomore class

miss cornelia akers, freshman class

miss jean dunn, sophomore class

miss marcia gay, freshman class

miss maria hunt, freshman class

a necessity for fulfilling student expectations

a necessity for fulfilling student capacities

a committee report

an opportunity for a well-rounded year

development of a non-textbook knowledge

channeling of constructive intelligence

a classroom why quickly whisked away

positive insight never before uncovered

a discovery of talents often passed by

a feeling of service, friendship, and security

providing an incentive for participation

a substance to fill a void

another method of self-expression

benefitting others

benefitting ourselves

a break of monotony

an abundance of intellectual, spiritual

and social opportunities

waiting for only the participant

organizations

honor clubs

Honor clubs have always played an important part on the Mars Hill campus. Membership in the clubs is by invitation. In order for a student to receive an invitation he must have a B average, at least thirty quality points, and no grade lower than a C. Meetings are held monthly and students are given an opportunity to gather insight into their fields of special interest by coming together and sharing ideas. They are often given a chance to hear outstanding speakers or participate in off-campus field trips. Active honor club members find the experiences afforded by the club to be both rewarding and memorable.

science club

first row, left to right: mavis dowdle, brenda cummings, martha bruce, lynn magaan, sue mccall, sara e. white, peggy campbell, betty hefner, georgia howard, marianne farnham; *second row:* henry zion, jim kessaris, ruff wheless, leslie childers, rick harris, steve taylor, gary stephens, mike jenkins, mae cline stroup, lee forrest, bill boudman, james hall, dr. outten, norman eller.

international relations club

members are bill carter, linda cowan, norris gentry, julia green, karen jones, patsy mcdowell, rich gaskin, cynthia lynch, teresa metcalf, mary marcia taylor, leslie cook, cathy tilghman, cecelia butler, sue fuller, vernon oakley, margaret cambell, william lipscomb, patricia davis, willie cox, john carpenter, nadine reese, michael argersinger; sponsors: dr. underwood, dr. cbay, mrs. jolley.

scriblerus club

standing, left to right: mrs. perry, peggy mcintosh, judi ellis, delois ashe, faye wallace, becky bergin; *seated:* laura woener, beverly cansler, peggy jo smith, charon dibert, katie swafford, mike rice.

first row, left to right: mr. kendall; wade tucker; pat green; beth douglas, vice-president; melvin lutz, president; sharon vinson, secretary; mike mills; *second row:* dr. jenkins; sonny mull; royce walsh; charlene kuszmaul; dr. jordon; dave smith; carroll reed.

logothia club

business club

first row: linda morrison, linda thrift, anita dantzler, barbara mills, susan baker, sandra duck, barbara pritchard, maxie rayford, catby spells; *second row:* clement hunt, michael wood, nick judkins, harold clapp, dan henley, bob pegg, eddie way, john stancil, bill thompson, bill broyhill, tom sparks, edward brown, ben rogers, kenneth sessoms, ellen hagen, harold corn.

members are ronald aldridge, wanda brown, barbara fox, janis morgan, carolyn r. sprinkle, diane c. weathers, myra bergin, jerry carroll, john hamrick, harriett tessore, sandra whiteside, jean dunn, hilda decker, michael pressley, nancy childers.

french club

spanish club

seated left to right: dr. carner; thetis henry, president; judy justice, vice president; mrs. fish; *standing:* linda hilton; diane eubanks, secretary-treasurer.

standing left to right: clara greene, david funderburke, nancy powell, linda kimball, james c. richardson, charles durant, president, charlent kauzmaul, peggy robinson, mary rome rector, carlton wilkes, mary ann fentress, janet snead, vice-president, mary ann smith, joel reed, cornelia akers; *seated:* sharon roberts; not pictured: nancy matheson, sandra cannon, secretary.

orpheon club

classical club

left to right: johnny campbell; david atwater; wade tucker, vice president; jane fleming, secretary; robert bradley; melvin lutz, president; dr. nelson; sonny mull, reporter.

major clubs

history club

first row, left to right: patsy mcdowell; barbara blythe, president; dr. jolley; sarah white; nadine reese; ann arledge; ronda stanton; *second row:* mike penland; bill carter; otis jay freeman; danny lunsford; john besse; ken philbrick, secretary-treasurer; terry parker, vice-president; howard lane; norris gentry; pat webb.

home economics charter

first row, left to right: miss carol kendall, sally spaulding, donna williams, bee mayo, maxine plemmons, carolyn kinsland, frances stewart, miss winona bierbaum; *second row:* mrs. mary howell, ann kirby, martha bruce, diane cowan, lynette vaughn, marlene freck, patsy lazinby, shrah crabtree, emily saunders, pat letterman, betty wise, diane costner, martha armstrong, gail sparks, elizabeth wilson; *third row:* jane pipkin, fran austin, beth douglas, emma jean carter, anne wilson, judy cabe, vickie brannan, brenda cummings, sylvia fulbright, pat scarborough, sandra spenser.

dramateers

The main purpose of the Dramateers is to join together students who are interested in the theater. The club is sponsored by the drama department and works with the department in the production of the various plays. This year *The Music Man, Arms and the Man,* and three student-directed one-act plays were presented. The Dramateers also joined the drama department in playing host to the district Carolina Dramatics Association festival.

This organization offers each student a chance to learn more about the theater and to gain first-hand knowledge by working with the various production. Bolstered by a more than efficient drama department, the Dramateers is one of the most active, successful clubs on campus.

bill gardner gets his tie adjusted

perhaps the most memorable scene from "*the music man*"

a scene from this year's production of *the music man.*

members of eta delta, the local chapter of national drama fraternity, alpha psi omega are *left to right:* wayne slagle, janet snead, pat scarborough, secretary-treasurer, cammy mcdonald, kathy young, katie swofford, jane watts, brick tilley, ray mitchie, candy coles, waynelle wilson, mike velton, president, mr. rich, dr. cox, mrs. rich, mr. thomas, mr. therrell, ann cantrell, david jones, vice-president.

behind the scenes pat scarbrough applies make-up for malcolm privette before a production.

snea officers

left to right: carol clamp, secretary; jane clanton, publicity chairman; norman rhyne, treasurer; sue mccall, parlimentarian; judy hill, chaplin; cathy broome, vice-president; carolyn broome, president.

society for the advancement of management

members are terrell revis, mary chan lovell, mary edyth edwards, linda boyd, barbara pritchard, nancy gail clement, sandra duck, sharon kay day, james hullard, william henderson, jr., kenneth perrin, robert peigler, david ho-kwok chang, charles ho-dai chang, james smith, david crisp, karanne garland, janie gibson, harry thomas cavalaris, judy whitlow, robert choate, chuck penley, russ lancaster, phillip arrant, edward brown, richard brown, william broyhill, carolyn charlson, mary collis, harold corn, craig covey, louie cox, norris gentry, rebecca gurley, john howell, jack huddle, clemmet hunt, michael jackson, nick judkins, rick hancock, lane lee, henry moon, robert ritz, robbie rollins, john stancil, steve sellstrom, james smith, mack smith, david stewart, harold clapp, charles myers, joyce duckett.

math

members are xanxai visitkul, cindy miller, wanda spencer, willa plemmons, kathy martin, ellen horton, kelley ferrell, pat powell, harvey gordon, richard welsh, steve hartzoge, norman raines, arnold bryson, henry hair, charles smith, d. j. keith, mr. emmett sams, mr. bill higdon, mr. sam buckner, margaret hardin, fred day, mike jenkins, ken maynard.

physical education

members are dennis adams; linda alt; doyle ammons; larry atwell; allen baker; daniel balcomb; samuel bass; jerry blevins; carol bray; henry briggs; gary brown; john brown; dinah buckner; lionel caldwell; tommy chapman; larry clark; robert collins; walter combs; david costner; carthel crout; tim davis; mavis dowdle; william dyar; douglas echols; lionel edwards; earl eller; jimmy epps; joan farrell; edwin finkbeiner; roberta gilman; stanley godfrey, president; rodney gosnell; glenn graiser; joy hawkins; robert henley; gary henry; richard holbrook; ronald howard; jerry jenkins; beverly keller; carolyn kelly; john kosma; wayne laughter; clara lowder; sue mccall; david mcfee; malcolm mcfee; linda magann; dennis martin; gerald moore; thomas nix; harold owen; rose parsekian; carolina pond, secretary; ronald reed; martha roe; george scruggs; danny shook; keever sloan, treasurer; samuel sloan; billy sparks; felton stephens; jerry strong; ronald ward; jimmy warfford; michael waters; david webster, vice-president; dennis wells; david wilson; william brann; elizabeth young; sylvia gore; lynn truell; ed grissin; phil parham; james foster; jeannie britt; frank brooks; gerald gault; scot samuels; everette sheton, robert white, fred dudley; john sweatlock.

international club

Seated, left to right: margaret kirk, secretary-treasurer, susanna knapp, mrs. roman gorski, fernando downs, dr. roman gorski; *standing:* dr. john chay, mr. m. h. kendall, xanxai visitkul, shing ming yen, mack smith, vice-president, david chang, craig covey, charles chang; *not pictured:* winston lau, president, dr. william sherwood, alice oliver, grace huang, mrs. john chay, dr. robert carner, miss mildred bingham, miss frances snelson, harry cavalaris.

pep club

standing: andy biro, president; *first row, left to right:* laura woerner, chaplain, judith hanes, maria hunt, joe bingham, publicity chairman, rosemary goodwin, treasurer, sheila stephenson, secretary, bucky wright, vice-president; *second row:* hagee kugley, reeca higgins, brenda cannon, shirley honeycutt, deborah compton; *standing:* emily sanders, sharon silvers, bill brown, fielda young, tom twilley, david atwater, flake martin, robert bradley.

religious organizations

Religious organizations are a vital part of life on the Mars Hill campus. They afford a unique opportunity for the student to join in a close fellowship while at the same time strengthening himself for a life of Christian service.

Seven of these religious organizations offer membership to students. They are Baptist Student Union, Ministerial Conference, Young Women's Auxiliary, Volunteers for Christ, Mission Council, Methodist Student Movement, and Westminster Fellowship. Each of these organizations has made its own valuable and longlasting contributions to the lives of its student members, as well as to the college as a whole.

b. s. u. council

first row, left to right: linda hilton, chairman of the mission council; betty davis, devotional vice-president; rita ware, co-publicity chairman; charlene kauzmaul, representative from calvary baptist church; cathy broome, secretary; carolyn broome, treasurer; *second row:* ray johnson, hilltop representative; dave smith, sunday school director; rick gaskin, co-publicity chairman; denny hill, social action chairman; kermit gray, representative from ministerial conference; ralph megee, bsf director; jack ruth, msm representative. president paul campbell—not pictured.

ministerial conference

first row: ray truett, david atwater, secretary, john carpenter, vice-president, wade tucker, president; *second row:* bob phillips, tom petree, charles deweese, darrell floyd, wilbur parrott, paul welch; *third row:* john campbell, melvin lutz, glenn graves, al purvis, david smith, sonny mull; *fourth row:* wiley mock, keith hart, van pigate, wilton gleaton, gary stephens, michael kirby, allen lane.

young women's auxiliary

first row, left to right: judy justice, vice-president, charan dibert, president, maxie rayford, secretary-treasurer, laura woerner, publicity chairman, diane eubanks, program chairman; *second row:* sara crabtree, glenna huff, betty griffith, judy cash, bobbie miller, margaret knight, glenda ward, margaret kirk, alice oliver, millaine williams, linda davidson, leslie cook, karen jones; *third row:* donna lee williams, reba ivey, pat tullis, brenda cole, sarah e. white, pat karriker, mike rice, delois ashe, pam keller, betty davis, idella harrin, rheta swicegood, joy lowe, delores deal.

volunteers

first row, left to right: john hamrick, james mcbride, george bridges, johnny settle, ron aldridge, julia greene, norman rhyne, diane costner, diane eubanks, millaine williams, dr. jordon, adviser; *second row:* wayne parlier, tom byerly, ron searcy, judy justice, alice oliver, linda hilton, donna williams, vickie brannan, peggy robins, theta swicegood, joy lowe, vice-president, judy henson, secretary-treasurer, roger saunders, president.

mission council

seated, left to right: dr. raymond nelson, sponsor, linda hilton, chairman, carolyn downey, julia greene; *standing:* al purvis, d. j. keith, james mcbride, gary stephens, rick spencer, diane costner.

methodist student movement

seated, left to right: nora ann d'amico, kip caldwell, mrs. moyers, susan breedlove, ann nelson, judy sinclair, ann mcleod; *standing:* jim richardson, jack ruth, jack miller, bud moyers, bill spicer, mrs. beth hofler, rev. durwood hofler.

westminster fellowship

left to right: martha armstrong, wayne parlier, president, fran austin; *not pictured:* mr. arthur matthews, sponsor.

student government

carroll reed, vice-president

dave hopstetter, president

james wiles, treasurer

janis elam, secretary

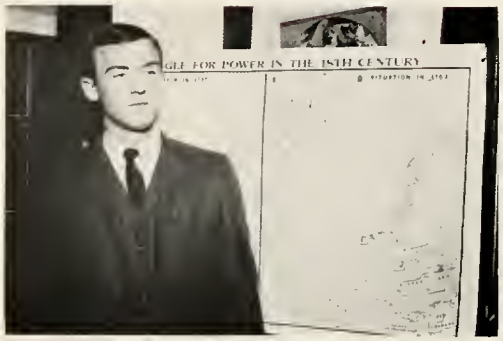
The purpose of student government is to advance the education and growth of the individual by giving students the opportunity and responsibility of governing themselves.

The four years' existence of this organization has shown that students can and will assume the task of governing themselves seriously; however, much work is yet to be done. The percentage of those students who are willing to take responsibility not only for themselves but also for the betterment of the group needs to be greatly expanded. This is an area in which S.G.A. must strive. Through the continuing, purposeful efforts of both students and interested faculty and administrative staff members, student affairs will be handled more and more effectively.

As in the past years the student government has increased its activities. Rat Week, the Emory & Henry bus trip, and an enlarged Derby Day were the projects of S.G.A. The Christmas projects included sending $250 via Billy Graham to the soldiers in Viet Nam and a Christmas party for some underprivileged children in the community. S.G.A. helped establish an English-speaking library at Corvallis College in Chile by sending books collected from the student body. Other projects included the initiation of a car wash, a study room, and a President's Council.

court

first row, left to right: carroll reed, jay flippin, janet snead, sally spaulding, mary marsha taylor, david hopstetter; *second row:* harold corn, jim kessaris, joel reed, tommy denton, paul early.



attorney general
perry white

senate

senate members are, seniors: james richardson, ralph epperson, sue mccall, harold corn, ken maynor, douglas echols; juniors: jim smith, joel reed, rick gaskin, robert davis, judy henson; sophomores: james kessaris, thomas denton, sheila stephenson, marilyn french; freshmen: david brookshire, edward griffin, donna lee williams.

standing, left to right: carroll reed, ron aldridge, denny hill, pete wilkins, david spering, robert davis, joe secondine, mike wood, tim davis, charles smith, ed brown, frank brooks, scott samuels; *first row:* salley spaulding, diane eubanks, linda walker, mike mills, judy justice; *second row:* shirley honeycutt, martha bruce, charles deweese, karen jones, sam james; *third row:* lynn bonnette, mary jane collis, kitty haigh, margo knight, jane watts, helen roper; *fourth row:* dean logan, beverly cansler, tom byerly, peggy jo smith, dean lynch, richard van, tony hawkins, allen lane.

commission

faculty advisors

dean william lynch

dr. james jordan

dean mary logan

college marshals

left to right: mary marcia taylor, james carroll, becky bergen, james claude richardson.

left to right: tom sparks, beverly cansler, ida hearn, dave hopstetter.

left to right: john hamrick, janet snead, tommy denton; *not pictured:* judy melton.

left to right: myrtle frederick, charles deweese, brenda wilson; *not pictured:* bobby rice.

Perhaps the most distinguished honor a student can receive at Mars Hill is that of serving as a College Marshal. Sixteen students receive this honor each year.

The Academic Standards Committee chooses the eight men and eight women with the school's highest quality point ratio. These selections are carefully checked and approved by the faculty. Each spring they are installed for a one-year term.

College Marshals have the distinct honor of ushering at graduation and receiving college guests. They serve the students by ushering at recitals, plays, movies, seminars, and all other formal and informal activities on campus.

the Mars Hill College

Hilltop

seated, left to right: nicholas judkins, carolyn downey, ronda stanton, jeannie hammond, elaine allen; *standing:* david foster, thetis henry, jerry ratcliff, sheila stephenson, rebecca bergen, gerldine hollifield, ida hearn, kay crout, mike rice.

wayne staples, peggy mcintosh, mike mills

editor clarence young plans future issues with staff member john stancil

The Hilltop is Mars Hill College's only newspaper. It is written, edited, and published twice monthly by students. It is designed to further communication among administration, faculty, and students. It serves also to report news of campus social and cultural events as well as general interest features.

Over the past year, the Hilltop has especially emphasized campus opinion on matters of local and national interest. It initiated a movement this year whereby it can also function as a policing agent of student government, student conduct, faculty techniques, and administrative decisions. Emphasis has also been placed on making the Hilltop's format as modern and clean as possible.

It was the opinion of the 1967 *laurel* staff that the greatest qualities belonging to Mars Hill College lie in the students. That is why in this yearbook we have sought to capture the living elements of the college, the people who make it what it is. We tried a whole new approach, adapting each page from front cover to back so that the new *laurel* is not a carbon copy of the countless volumes that preceded it. Nor does the '67 *laurel* merely represent the physical aspects—the buildings, the campus itself—but it has attempted to capture the heart, the very soul of college life.

The 1967 *laurel* is different. It has not been an easy task to achieve the things we attempted this year. An efficient and well-organized staff was required, many hours, and much determination. The results are rewarding, however, and the staff feels that the *laurel* will be a source of great pleasure to the students now as well as in the future, when memories from the years at Mars Hill College will stand out as some of the very best.

top photo: brenda cannon, mary belle lawton, ronnie phillips, deborah compton, reeca higgins; *lower photo:* ray johnson, photographer; allen lane; madelyn davis; ronda stanton; linda thrift, editor in charge of copy.

judi ellis, editor-in-chief and gary tate, associate editor

the 1967 laurel

brenda dunn, organizations editor; mr. smith, advisor; bill carter "miss laurel" director and copy writer.

sigma alpha chi

Sigma Alpha Chi was founded in the spring of 1965 as the sister social-service sorority to Sigma Kappa Lambda. It offers each Mars Hill coed a chance to prove her sincerity, achievement and usefulness to herself and her fellow students.

This year the sisters of Sigma Alpha Chi, with Dr. and Mrs. James Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. James Cox as sponsors, chose to wait until second semester to conduct formal rush. This did not handicap them at all as they carried out such successful projects as making and selling corsages for homecoming, helping with the presidential inauguration, and adopting a South Vietnamese orphan. They also teamed up with Sigma Kappa Lambda for the annual fall formal.

The beginning of the second semester proved no different as the energetic sisters of Sigma Alpha Chi worked for fulfillment and enjoyment in helping themselves and others.

top to bottom: brenda smith, corresponding secretary; sharon proctor, recording secretary; jane watts, treasurer; janis elam, vice-president; katy cathey, president.

first row, left to right: katy cathey, janis elam, jane watts, sharon proctor, brenda smith; *second row:* mary marcia taylor, mary shepherd, peggy jo smith, donna williams, carol campbell, linda walker; *third row:* sylvia gore, heather brose, linda burns, ann peebles, harriet tessore; *fourth row:* suzi farkas, georgia howard, myra burgin, kitty haigh, bonnie harris.

clubs

sigma kappa lambda

left to right: jim richardson, treasurer; doug echols, vice-president. *standing:* alan bell; bob gillespie; robert salisbury, skip liles, paul thompson.

left to right: bill thompson, president; bill carter, secretary; *standing:* allen pankey; john mcintosh; henry zion; james wiles; xanxai visitkul.

Sigma Kappa Lambda was founded in the spring of 1965 as the first social-service fraternity on campus for male students. The three goals of the club are service, companionship and loyalty to self, mankind, family, community, college, and God.

This year's Sigmas, with Mr. Bob Melvin and Mr. Jack Grose as sponsors, began the new school year with high hopes and anticipation for another great year. Part of this anticipation became reality when the yearly pledge class was chosen. Plans began to take shape for the annual "fall fling" and other social events. The brothers helped with the presidential inauguration and homecoming and also helped to raise money for the Student Government Association's Viet Nam fund.

As the second semester began, the brothers of Sigma Kappa Lambda were determined to work toward another successful semester. New projects and activities were suggested and once again vague plans began to take the form of tangible and enjoyable realities.

sigma kappa lambda sweetheart . . .

jean miller

pledges, left to right, seated: wayne parker, ronnie phillips, bill hunter, ruff wheless, butch trent, jack frederick; *second row:* rick holbrook, ed griffin, jerry moore, ralph taylor, tom dolinger, ray winebrenner, bob mcmanus, charlie smith.

delta phi zeta

left to right: brenda robbins, president, cathy broome, vice-president, russ lancaster, corresponding secretary, dixie barnett, recording secretary, cindy arthur, treasurer, judy hill, chaplain.

sponsors . . .
mr. and mrs. douglas therrell

"Progress through Love, Promise, and Service"

Delta Phi Zeta Social Service Club was organized last year in order to serve Mars Hill College and the surrounding community. The efforts of the club are directed toward areas wherein are the greatest benefits for those with whom we live and work. It is the aim of Delta Phi Zeta to promote unity in the college family and to take interest and participate in both cultural and social events.

seated, left to right: kay peppers, dixie barnett, liz berry, ilene sink, lynn truell, pam cox, cindy arthur; *standing:* sheila stephenson, jeannie britt, gail clement, brenda robbins, cathy broome, brenda dunn, carolyn broome, sue mccall, judy hill, judy burgess, sally spaulding, betty baker, emily metheny, russ lancaster.

alpha phi omega

charter members, left to right, seated: steve eib, john hendrix, candy coles (sweetheart), bill gardner, perry white, david jones; *standing:* malcolm privette, david smith, leslie childers, paul early, craig covey, jimmy roberts, barry cavaloris, robert davis, tommy denton, bill chapman.

Alpha Phi Omega was founded in 1925 at Lafayette College, Easton, Pennsylvania. A national service fraternity, it has as its purpose service to the community, school, and nation. More than 90,000 men have enjoyed brotherhood in its chapters.

officers, left to right, seated: mike velton, vice-president; mack smith, president; *standing:* ed terry, treasurer; terry parker, secretary; carroll reed, vice-president.

The Mars Hill chapter was founded as a service organization for Mars Hill College and the Mars Hill community. Since its formation the number of charter memberships has increased from twenty men to thirty-five. Recently, a pledge class was formed of fourteen members.

The chapter has been active in service projects both on the campus and in the community. It has served visiting groups, campus events and orientation programs.

pledges, left to right, seated. ed griffin, pete wilkins, dave loveland, terry roberson, steve king, charlie griffin, mike mills, joe bingham, gary sturgis, dave brookshire; *standing:* ken head, ronnie pulliam, fields young, cline borders, richard parker, bob drake, jack riggar, ronnie cox, hal kirk, bill kilgore, les meguire.

an outward expression of an inborn talent

an unparalled presentation of entertainment

endless hours of worthwhile practice

often going un-noticed and un-congratulated

that all important recital

then back to the same old grind

hours in the catacombs, jury

oh for daylight, a coke and a weed

theory and music history each a separate pain

marching practice

vocalizing

scales

memorization and practice

stubborn requirements

stiff competition

fun and friendships

spring concert tours

chapel programs

at last, a well-deserved reward

an accomplishment to be proud of

music

college choirs

The Mars Hill College Touring Choir and the Chorus are integral parts not only of the Music Department, but the entire campus. They completed a large entertainment program both on campus and off. They have sung for numerous chapel services, and combined to give such memorable performances as Haydn's "Creation," Thompson's "Peaceable Kingdom," and William's "On the Passion of Christ."

Under the direction of Mr. Robert Rich, both organizations have taken their performances on tour. The combined group gave Haydn's "Creation" at Montreat-Anderson Junior College, while the Touring Choir's spring tour carried them across the state to Greensboro and then south to Charleston, South Carolina. In all their performances, the Touring Choir and the Chorus have shown the excellence of music at Mars Hill College.

choir director, robert rich

touring choir

members of the touring choir are as follows: soprano: cornelia akers, virginia brassell, pam culler, mary ann fentress, sue lynette lawson, sharon roberts, sharyn russell, ilene sink, mary ann smith, janet snead, marion stubbins, kathy young; alto: doris banning, lou brogden, ann cantrell, nancy clements, candy coles, sandra cannon, jane martin, nancy matheson, pat mccroskey, marilyn oakley, mary rome rector, carol rountree, linda walker; tenor: jerry carroll, bill christmas, tony dinapoli, bill gardner, wayne hunt, c. a. kirby, darryl reed, james c. richardson, perry white, mike williams; bass: tom byerly, jay flippin, david foster, mickey garrison, ken goble, mike joyner, carroll reed, william e. rotan, william sturgis, bill thomas, roger rooks williams.

members are carol allen, catherine bartles, janice boydston, linda burns, suzanne bussey, leslie cook, daphne corbett, myra dickson, cynthia dixon, jean dunn, phyllis edwards, beth foster, bonnie gillis, ruth goodwin, cathy gray, clara green, marlene hall, honnie harris, nancy harrison, betty holland, rose mary ingle, patricia jarvis, sandra johnson, terry kenny, linda kimball, judy koch, charlene kuszmaul, anne mcleod, patricia mcneil, jane mitchell, cheryl moon, martha morris, alice oliver, betty painter, christine payne, nancy phillips, nancy powell, julia price, jaquelyn putnam, linda robbins, peggy robinson, mary ellen saunders, anne serota, mary shepard, adrienne smith, sara spicer, martha ward, kathy west, daphne williams, donna williams, jane wooten, nora d'amico, doris hall, ken bell, ted cassels, terry childers, john forsythe, john foster, david funderburk, william johnson, bill kilgore, allen lane, charles pentley, jerry robinson, johnny settle, wayne strickler, don tesh, stuart thompson, royce walsh, harold wells, freddy wimberly, kenneth yates, don beddingfield, tom petoce.

chorus

phi mu alpha sinfonia

left to right: joel reed, president, ed brown, treasurer, joe bingham, bill brown, david buddin, tony dinapeli, roger williams; *second row:* carlton wilkes, andy biro, bill johnson, wayne hunt, warden, allen lane, don peach; *third row:* bill laney, charlie davis, charlie durant, vice-president, george brown, jay flippin, secretary, john foster, jim brown; *fourth row:* david funderburk, randy henry, mike joyner, don tesh, dale roberts, ken goble, mick garrison, wayne pressley, bill thomas, pledgemaster.

The Pi Rho chapter of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia was chartered January 7 of this year. The purpose is to promote brotherhood of students showing an active interest in music and to advance the cause of music in America.

The first pledge season was concluded on March 4, with the addition of eleven new brothers. Along with sponsoring a concession stand at the annual Choral Clinic, the group has been host to visiting artists by giving receptions, and planned to sponsor an American music festival in the spring.

band

The Mars Hill College Band, under the baton of Mr. Wayne Pressley, has contributed much to music and entertainment on campus. The Concert Band, Marching Band, and Pep Band have represented the college at many functions.

The Concert Band presented the campus with an orchestra for the production of *The Music Man* and an excellent chapel program. Its annual spring tour included performances at schools and colleges in Western North Carolina, Tennessee, and Kentucky.

The Marching Band, led by Paul Peninger, drum major, presented the pagentry of half-time at all the Lion's home football games. With new formations and new routines by the majorettes, the Marching Band helped build spirit in the crowds following the Lions.

During basketball season the Pep Band blasted forth from its corner to rally the students behind the Mars Hill Five.

The bands' quality as exhibited in performance has been highly acclaimed by those attending.

band director, wayne pressley

band members are gayle curry, charan dibert, margaret tilson, nancy sasser, martha burleson, dale roberts, lanra lamberth, david funderburk, delores deal, ronald pulliam, carol campbell, linda pitts, cynthia crec, diane starner, jo ellen moncrief, susan love, betty jo painter, judy price, wayne staples, ronald johnson, ann peebles, lee lowder, sue mccall, carleton wilkes, paul peninger, don peach, james rall, david buddin, suzanne wagoner, george brown, james brown, anne nelson, shirley honeycutt, bill brown, pat edwards, diane whiteside, randall henry, judy henson, tim aydlett, harold hoy, roger bell, john besse, john ruth, ron slaughter, leland oxendine, ed brown, charles durant, nancy powell, william pons, robert suttenfield, sylvia williams, keith ridings, sandra horton.

majorettes

ann peebles, head majorette

janis elam

peggy jo, kathy, ann, sandy, janis

sandy horton

peggy jo smith

kathy peacock

american guild of organists

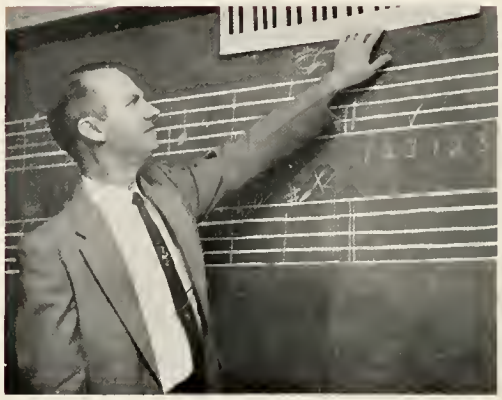
seated, left to right: sharon roberts, ruth goodwin, jackie putnam, bill christmas, kathryn bartles, mrs. donna robertson; *standing:* bud kirby, jane martin, james claude richardson, bea holland, mike williams, nancy matheson, donnie beddingfield.

music educators' national conference

first row, left to right: bonnie gilles, patricia edwards, suzanne bussey, suzanne wagoner, judy price, marilyn gray oakley, judy elaine henson, ruth goodwin; *second row:* sandra henson, catherine bartles, ann cantrell, lou brogden, roger williams, david funderburk, bill christmas; *third row:* darryl m. reed, billy johnson, david buddin, charles durant, donald peach, joel f. reed, william pons, tony dinapoli, mike williams.

mr. joseph elwood roberts

in memoriam



Mr. J. Elwood Roberts, associate professor of music and a much beloved friend of all, died on November 17, 1966.

Mr. Roberts became a member of the college faculty in 1944 and, in his twenty-two years as professor, had influenced many lives. His deep love for people was evidenced each day of his life; his devotion to God spoke for itself.

We the students will always remember him as "Mr. Elwood." He was a devoted teacher and an excellent musician; but more, he was a Christian, and our friend.

Reverend John G. Hicks, in his eulogy to Mr. Roberts, portrayed his friend well when he said:

He encouraged the downhearted and set them on the road again.
He was persistently patient until the score was learned.
He was what you saw, for he knew no shame; he was sincere.
His heart was tender and his eyes were full at times.
He readily forgave and asked forgiveness all along the way.
He lived for others even beyond his strength, and he was faithful to the end.
Such a man was Elwood Roberts.

a feeling of competition

that one important hope of victory

a sunny afternoon—a crisp autumn wind

a blocked kick—enthusiasm—dixie

hot chocolate, and other body-warming refreshments

go lions go—give 'em hell

maybe next year—we want scholarships

proudness in defeat

a moral victory for unsung heroes

a snowy night—condensation looming on windows

sounds of excitement interrupt a serenity unparalled

the pound of rubber against hardwood

the squeaks, moans, and yells of the crackerbox

the crack of a bat

couples seated on soft green grass

strike—you're out

a stolen base results in victory for the lions

a sudden shower—scurrying feet

yea team—still no dampened spirits

pretty weather and new horizons

racing the clock to break that record

up and over—round and round—running and jumping

the club is swung—par or birdie

anticipation of another great season

go linkmen

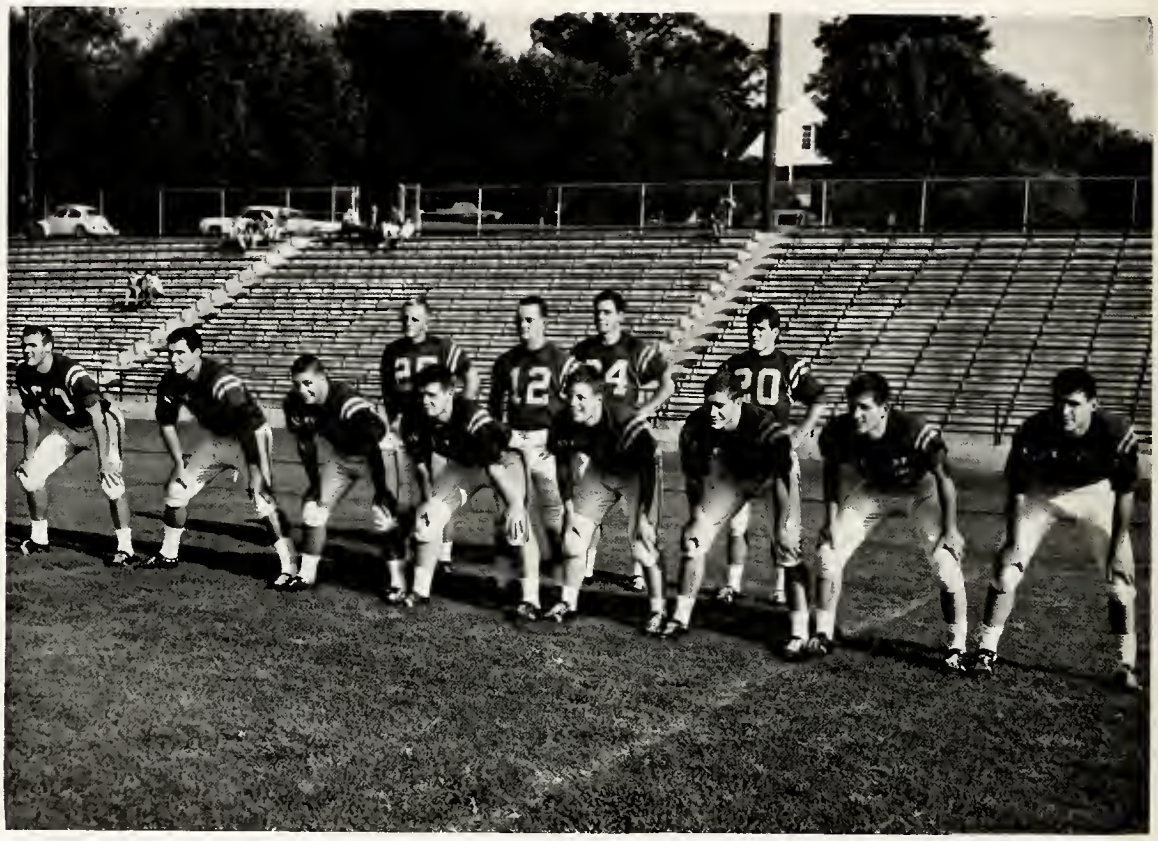
the contestants—satisfaction

as an individal—as a team—as a school

sports

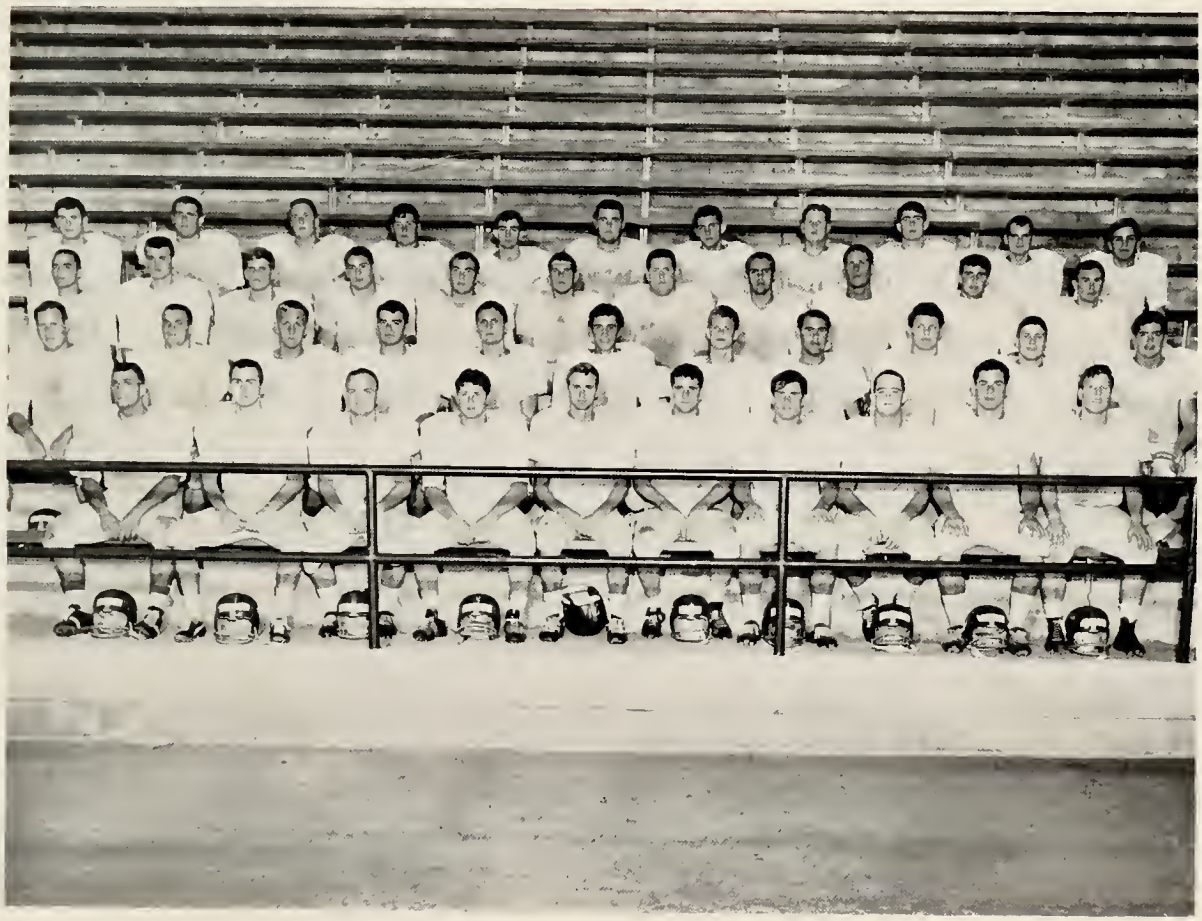
football 1966

coaches bromley and henderson meet with frederick college coach before game.



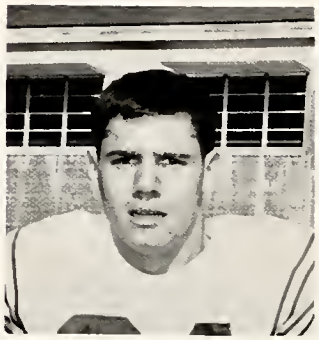
starting line-up, left to right, first row: tommy nix, rick dudley, doug echols, charles phillips, bill boudman, ron howard, felton stephens, david webster; *second row:* allen baker, danny shook, bill dyar, henry zion.

The Mars Hill Lions entered the 1966 football season with high hopes of improving previous records. Entering into their fourth year of senior college football they faced one of the most rigid schedules of any small college. With 19 lettermen returning and a new crop of transfers and freshmen, the gridders had experience and depth at every position. Co-captains Doug Echols and Bill Dyar led the spirit of the team as the season began.



first row, left to right: doug echols, bob collins, jim warfford, donnie delk, jerry strong, felton stephens, henry zion, danny shook, bill dyar, bill boudman; *second row:* bruce herman, dennis wells, allen baker, dan balcome, terry milner, sonny threatt, james wiles, everett shelton, frank brooks, mackey mcfee, roger banks; *third row:* charles phillips, ben apple, ronnie howard, gary henry, david mcfee, bob pegg, tommy nix, rick dudley, jerry blevins, larry clark; *fourth row:* david webster, jim epps, carthel crout, flake martin, tommy moss, bill williams, jesse hunsinger, tommy chapman, monty vess, john kozma.

co-captain doug echols, guard



co-captain bill dyar, fullback

danny shook, quarterback

On September 17 the Mars Hill Lions opened their 1966 football season playing host to the Indians of Catawba College. The Indians were favored to scalp the Lions, but Mars Hill had other things in mind as they jumped off to a quick 13-7 first quarter lead. The Lions played valiantly and the showers of rain did not dampen the avid Mars Hill spirit; but a victory for the stubborn Lions was not meant, and Catawba slipped by Mars Hill 28-13.

The Maryville College Scots invaded the Lion's Den on October 1 with both teams longing for the taste of victory. Maryville took a 14-0 halftime lead, but in the second half, the lions stiffened and held the Scots to a fourth quarter field goal. The game ended 17-0 in favor of Maryville, as Mars Hill was unable to cope with Maryville's balanced offense.

The first road trip for the Lions was to Jefferson City, Tennessee, to meet the powerful Eagles of Carson-Newman College. The previous meetings between these two teams had produced hard-fought, well-played games and this one promised no less; however, the Eagles were ready for this one as they provided a victory for a large homecoming crowd at the cost of the Lions, 28-0.

jerry blevins, halfback

henry zion, halfback

The Lion's second journey, this time to Athens, West Virginia, proved to be disastrous. Concord State increased their record to 5-0 as they romped over the Lions 47-7.

On October 22 the Lions invaded Emory and Henry College with the wild look of victory in their eyes. The Lions played their best game of the season in spite of injuries and a week of poor practice conditions. The halftime score stood 7-7, but the powerful Wasps, who finished their season 9-1, took the lead in the third quarter and coasted to a hard earned 21-7 victory. However, the validity of the game is still in question as the N.A.I.A. is investigating the Wasps eligibility which may produce another victory for the Lions. Statistic-wise, the Lions outplayed their opponents in this game.

For their last road game the Lions met their fourth small-college power in a row in the form of the Tigers of Georgetown College from Kentucky. Once again playing a good game against formidable opposition, the Lions fell to defeat at the hands of the Tigers 16-0.

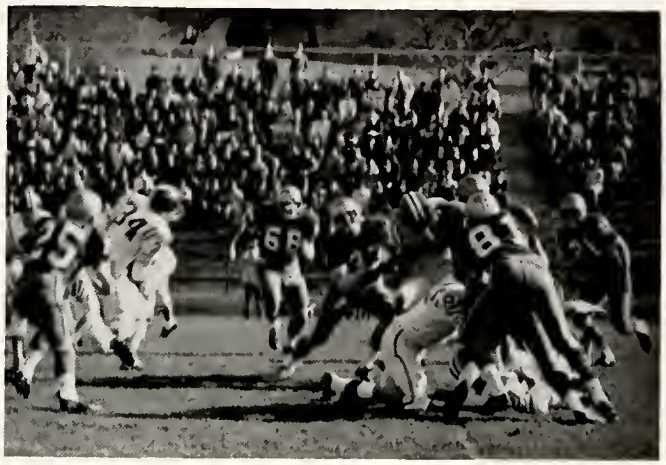
felton stephens, end

rick dudley, tackle

On November 5 the Mars Hill campus was invaded by a host of welcomed inauguration and homecoming visitors and a somewhat unwelcomed Western Carolna football squad. The Catamounts took advantage of the over-anxious spirit of the Lions and coasted to a 62-0 victory. The team, students, and visitors were somewhat disillusioned, but vowed that things would be different next year.

The last game of the long season brought Frederick College of Portsmouth, Virginia, to the Mars Hill campus. The Frederick team, fresh from a homecoming up-set over Randolph-Macon, scored on the kick-off and many fans began to prepare for another long afternoon. But the fired-up Mars Hillians fought back and went on to win the game 20-19, thus ending Frederick's winning streak. The Lions thereby ended the season with the sweet taste of victory!

jimmy eppes, tackle



jim dyer, manager

tommy nix, end

david webster, end

allen baker, flankerback

carthel crout, guard

stan godfrey, trainer

bill boudman, guard

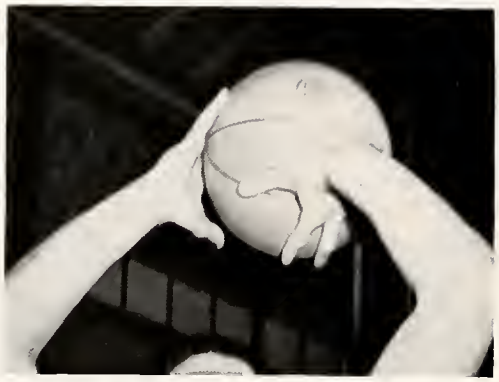
monty vess, end

ron howard, tackle

With the season over and the statistics of each game tallied and averaged, the results stand as follows: Bill Dyar was the rushing yardage leader with 272 yards gained for an average of 4.69 yards per carry. Quarterback Danny Shook completed a total of 28 passes for 389 yards gained. He was also the total offensive leader with 410 yards. Allen Baker was the top pass receiver covering 183 yards with 15 completions and averaging 12.2 yards per carry. Felton Stephens was outstanding on pass defense with 4 interceptions.

The *Knoxville News-Sentinel* named Doug Echols to its honorary all-star team as a defensive tackle. Bill Dyar, Tommy Nix and Monty Vess were given honorable mention, which is comparable to a second team vote. On March 7 at the annual Football Banquet, awards, voted on by the team members themselves, were presented to the following gridders: Rick Dudley, Best Lineman trophy; Jerry Blevins, Best Back trophy and Bill Dyar, Most Valuable Player. Trainer Stanley Godfrey was presented an award by the coaches.

basketball
1966 - 67



team manager vernon oakley and coach harrell wood show anxiety during the close asheville-biltmore game.

first row, left to right: bill kenny, ray randall, alan briggs, skippy liles, rick holbrook, david webster, don suggs; *second row:* sammy parker, lionel edwards, jeff cavanaugh, bill gibson, wayne barber, george scruggs, jerry moore, bob gibson, lyndon clayton, tommy nix.

As the 1966-67 basketball season began with only six returning lettermen, Coach Harrell Wood faced a height problem. But, what the Lions lacked in height, they planned to make up for with aggressive play and all-out hustle. With a brand new starting line-up and a fairly strong bench they began the season, well-versed in the fundamentals of the game and depending on speed and deception to counterbalance a weakness under the boards.

wayne barber

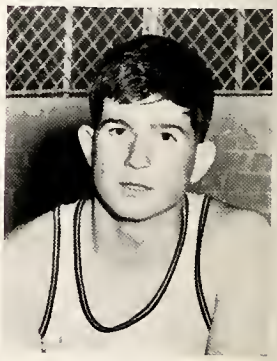
david webster

skippy liles

the gibsons, bob and bill

ray randall

lyndon clayton



bill kenney

rick holbrook

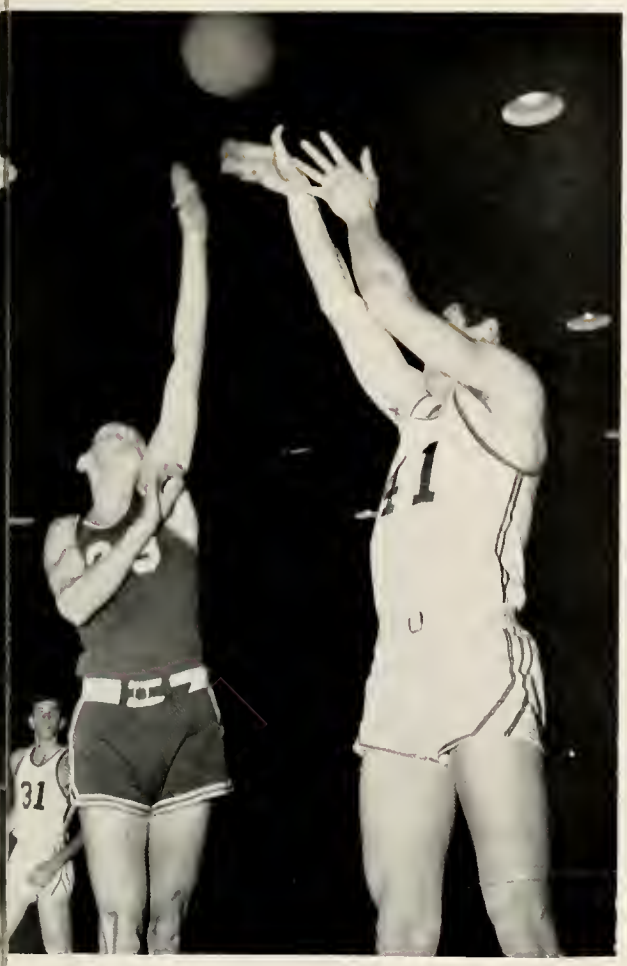
The Lions were given a chance to prove their mettle when they opened the season on December 2 at home against the Braves of Pembroke. The team could not find that needed touch and fell to the opponent 100-76. Three successive losses followed: a hard-fought 98-78 loss to the highly touted Eagles of Carson-Newman; a lopsided 105-67 loss to Tusculum College, and a 92-75 loss to Milligan.

With a longing for victory the Lions traveled to Bristol, Tennessee, for a match with King College. Mars Hill, led by the "bouncing Gibson twins," scored an impressive 77-74 overtime win for its first victory of the season.

On December 15 the Lions closed out their pre-Christmas schedule with an important game with Asheville-Biltmore. Accompanied by a host of Lion Supporters, the team played a great first half, but fell in the second to give the bulldogs a 84-64 victory.

A somewhat belated Christmas present in the form of a 101-99 upset win over the Tusculum Buffs was an excellent way to begin the new year. The very next night, the Lions trounced a less aggressive St. Andrews ball club 110-80, rolling in their third victory. On January 11, the cagers defeated Milligan, 80-79, a team who had beaten Mars Hill earlier in the season.

don suggs



After a much needed semester break, the Lions returned to action on January 27 against Pembroke. The Braves once again proved to be too much for the Lions as they romped to a 92-81 victory. The next night, in nearby Laurinburg, Mars Hill once again soundly defeated St. Andrews 102-85.

The team traveled to Emory and Henry on February 2 only to lose the game on foul shots 104-87; however, two days later the Lions returned home to score an impressive 88-78 win over Maryville and set a school record by pulling down 65 rebounds.

On February 6 Mars Hill students packed McConnell Gymnasium as the Lions tackled the highly touted Wofford Terriers. Although coming out on the short end of a 77-72 score, the team broke the newly set record of 65 rebounds by pulling down 71. For the second consecutive night, the Lions were cheered on by a mass of supporters as they came from behind to nip Asheville-Biltmore, 72-69.

The next task facing the fast improving Lions was NAIA power Pikeville. Mars Hill had upset the Bears last year and were determined to do it again. But another win was not in sight as the Kentuckians blistered the Lions 112-64. Against the Terriers of Wofford in their second meeting, the point spread was again only five points as the South Carolinians defeated the Lions 75-70.

After beating the Maryville Scots 89-86, the Lions went on to another upset to end the season. Romping over the Wasps of Emory and Henry 98-87 in the local high school gymnasium the Lions, proved that the gymnasium does not make the team. This game was the swan-song for seniors Bob and Bill Gibson, George Scruggs and David Webster, and for sophomore Ray Randall, who is transferring.

jerry moore

george scruggs

alan briggs

sammy parker

lionel edwards

1966-67 season results

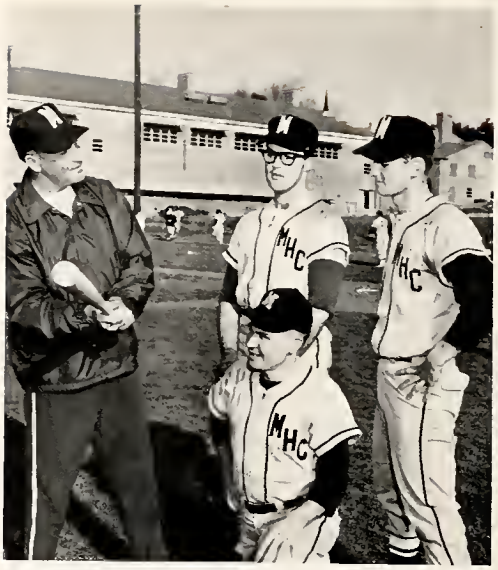
mhc	76	100	pembroke college
mhc	78	98	carson-newman college
mhc	67	105	tusculum college
mhc	75	92	milligan college
mhc	77	74	king college
mhc	64	84	asheville biltmore college
mhc	101	99	tusculum college
mhc	110	80	st. andrews college
mhc	80	79	milligan college
mhc	81	92	pembroke college
mhc	102	85	st. andrews college
mhc	87	104	emory & henry college
mhc	88	78	maryville college
mhc	72	77	wofford college
mhc	72	69	asheville biltmore college
mhc	64	112	pikeville college
mhc	70	75	wofford college
mhc	89	86	maryville college
mhc	98	87	emory & henry college

The Lions thus finished the season 9-10, having produced plenty of fine playing and excitement for the fans. Bob Gibson led the cagers with an average of 14.4 points per game, tailed by Bill Kenney with an average of 13.4 points. Bob and twin Bill tied for rebounds with 191 each for the season. Ray Randall led the team in foul shots making 79 per cent of his attempts. The team averaged 82.1 points per game as compared with the opponents' average of 88.1 points. Bob Gibson and David Webster were nominated for the N.A.I.A. District #26 All-Star team.

The crackerbox has seen its last intercollegiate basketball game as the new gymnasium will be completed for next year's season. But, the fans of past years will never forget the exciting action McConnell Gymnasium has provided in its time.

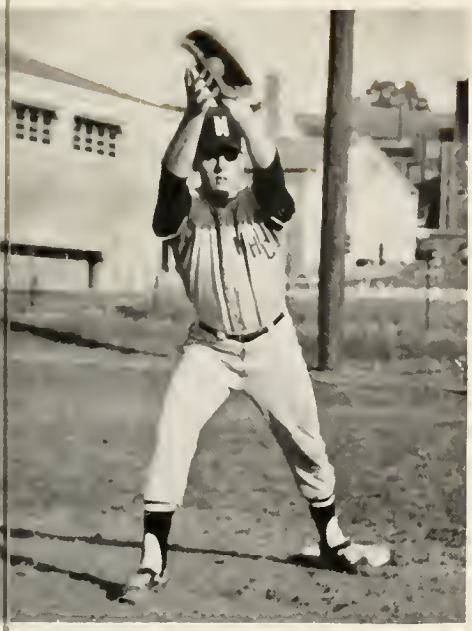
baseball 1967

With nine lettermen returning and a host of freshmen and transfer talent to choose from, Coach Don Henderson's outlook for the 1967 season was bright. The Lions played an eighteen-game schedule and enjoyed their first season as a member of N.A.I.A., District Number 26. In the last three years of senior college play, the Lions have compiled a 27 and 10 record. Last year they were 7-3 for the season.



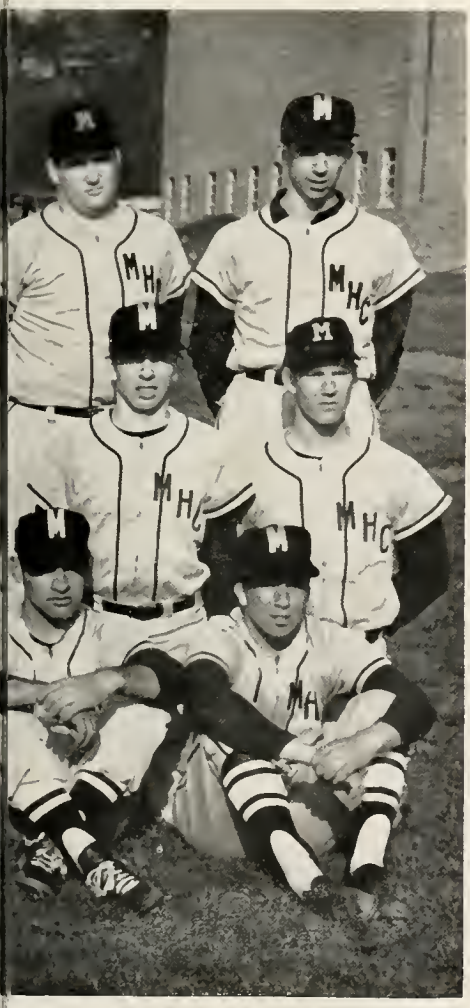
coach henderson demonstrates some techniques to team members ron ward, larry clark, and co-captain ken maynard.

first row, left to right: jim warford, jerry gault, tommy nix, sammie sloan, dennis adams, everette shelton, rick shaffer; *second row:* tommy chapman, bobby franklin, don chiles, dennis hefner, ken maynor, jimmy jackson, bob gillespie; *third row:* dave webster, dick ward, eddie gainey, harold boger, gary gardner, bob pegg, gary sharpe; *not pictured:* ron ward and larry clark.



schedule

date	opponent	place
march 23	western carolina	away
april 8	concord (2)	here
april 10	tusculum	here
april 14	carson-newman	away
april 15	maryville	away
april 18	milligan (2)	here
april 20	emory and henry	here
april 22	maryville	here
april 25	tusculum	away
april 29	wofford	away
may 1	milligan	away
may 4	wofford	here
may 8	western carolina	here
may 10	carson-newman	here
may 11	emory and henry	away



co-captain david webster gets in some batting practice.

track 1967

The 1967 track team consisted of 13 returning men and an equal number of new prospects. Great improvement was expected of the team over last year's results and the burnt clay and cinder track, in its second year of intercollegiate meets, was expected to show several new school records. The top point man on last year's team, Bill Dyar, and Henry Zion, a three-year veteran, were expected to be the leading sprinters. Mike Argersinger, Bucky Wright and Robert Haynes were expected to turn in impressionable records on the longer runs.

coach charles phillips

bill dyar and henry zion ready for a practice sprint

first row, left to right: paul early, michael virts, bucky wright, eddie hoffmeyer, charles smith, dan balcombe, terry milner, tim advlett, larry cole; *second row:* fields young, manager, mike argersinger, ken yates, ron johnson, steve king, malcom privette, robert haynes, bill gibson, john sweatlock, wayne laughter, tim elmore, don thompson, manager.

pole-vaulter terry milner soars into the air

wayne laughter clears the bar on a practice high jump

schedule

date	opponent	place
march 18	montreat-anderson	home
march 23	carson-newman	home
april 8	news-piedmont relays	greenville, s. c.
april 11	milligan	home
april 15	wofford	away
april 18	maryville	home
april 22	davidson relays	away
april 24	carson-newman	home
april 29	maryville	away
may 3	milligan	away

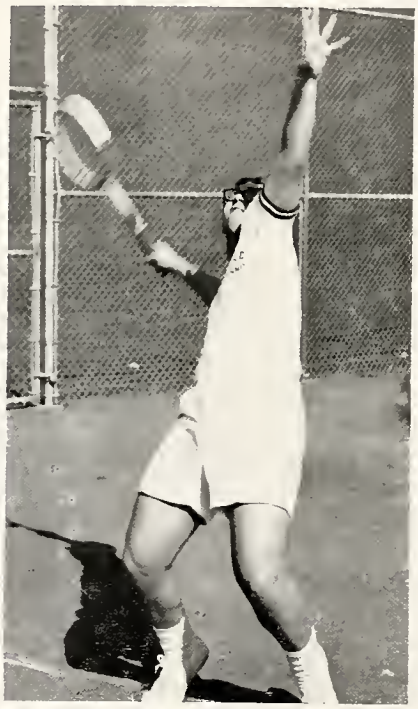
tennis 1967

The 1967 tennis squad began the season with good strength and a sound knowledge of the game. Four members of last year's squad returned with three new candidates to form solid competition for opponents. Returning lettermen were Louie Cox, John McIntosh, Ray Randall, and Scott Samuels. Newcomers were James Carroll, John Foster, and Eddie Way.

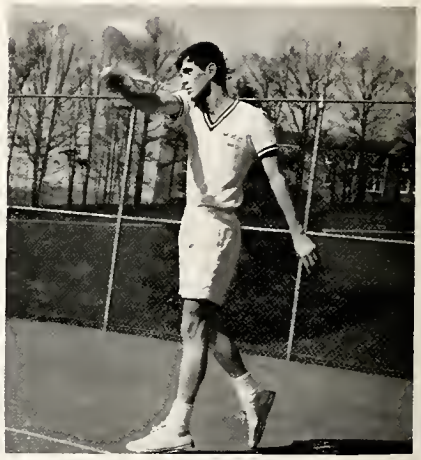
Last year the Lions posted a 6-6 record for the season, with key wins having come in the close games. Over the last three years the netmen have compiled a record of 18 wins and 11 loses.

kneeling, left to right: willie ervine, james wiles, phil parham, bob brown; *standing, returning lettermen:* scott samuels, ray randall, john foster, carroll reed, john mcintosh, louise cox; *not pictured:* eddie way and james carroll.

coach harrell wood



scott samuels—no. 1 man



schedule

date	opponent	place
march 20	maryville college	away
march 24	asheville-biltmore	away
april 7	western carolina	home
april 13	emory and henry	home
april 17	asheville-biltmore	home
april 19	milligan college	away
april 26	western carolina	away
may 3	maryville college	home
may 4	milligan college	home
may 5	asheville-biltmore	away
may 10	east tennessee	away

coach ron bromley compares scorecards with lionel caldwell and skippy liles

golf 1967

With a rough schedule in the way of "name teams," the golf season began, the home course being the Spruce Pine Golf Course. Marshall Fall, Skippy Liles and Lionel Caldwell, the returnees from last year's season, joined with several new prospects to face a difficult schedule in their first year of participation in the District #26 N.A.I.A. Tournament. Coach Bromley felt that the success of the season depended on individual pride, each golfer being expected to accept the challenge and turn in an outstanding individual record. Last year, the team produced a 15-1-1 record, the best to date.

kneeling, left to right: marsball fall, skippy liles, lionel caldwell, danny hedgepath; *standing:* luther rickenbacker, stuart roberson, sonny hunter, harry caddell

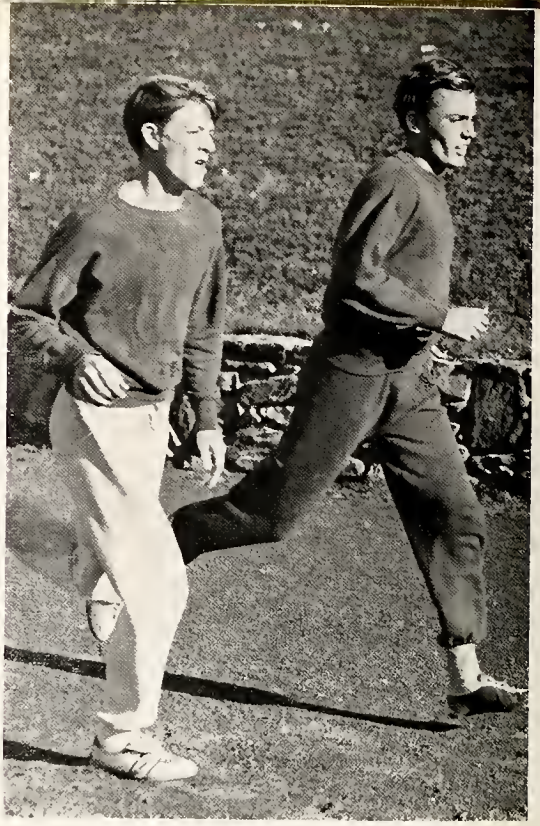
no. 1 man—marshall fall

schedule

date	opponent	place
march 17	montreat-anderson	away
march 24	wofford college	away
	new haven college	
april 3	university of tennessee	away
	university of kentucky	
	east tennessee state	
april 8	milligan college	home
	asheville-biltmore	
	concord college	
april 11	tusculum college	home
	asheville-biltmore	
april 14	east tennessee state	away
	tennessee tech	
april 18	king college	away
april 25	tusculum college	away
april 29	east tennessee state	home
	king college	
may 2	milligan college	away
	king college	
	asheville-biltmore	
may 4	university of tennessee	home
	wofford college	
may 9	appalachian state	away
may 15-16	n.a.i.a. district #26 tournament	boone, n. c.

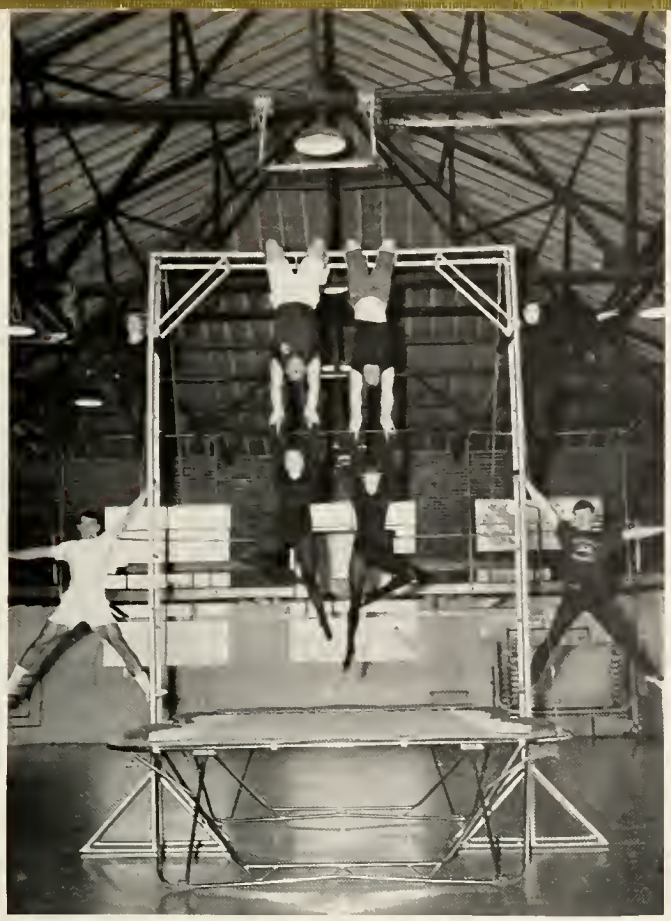
cross country 1966

The Cross-Country track season ended with a record of 5 and 8, the squad having competed in eight meets against thirteen teams. The Mars Hill team, led by Mike Argersinger and Bucky Wright, showed a marked improvement over last year. Coach Charles Phillips stated that he was satisfied with the overall results.



top milers bucky wright and mike argersinger

kneeling, left to right: coach phillips, robert haynes, harold boger, charlie smith; *standing:* mike argersinger, bucky wright



top row, left to right: carolyn downey, doug echols, bobby gregory, christy paine; *bottom row:* dan balcome, rose parsekian, jo rouse, david keefer.

gymnastics

The "trampoleze" apparatus is an innovation in the area of gymnastics initiated at Mars Hill during 1966-67. Combining trampoline and trapeze skill, it created a great deal of interest among the students. Several exhibitions were performed this year. The apparatus was demonstrated at the North Carolina Educational Association convention in April in Asheville. Future plans include demonstrations on a larger scale as well as teaching an increased number of students and advanced routines. It is hoped that four performers can learn to work simultaneously.

david keeter on the iron rings

left: dan balcombe holding christy paine; *right:* bobby gregory holding carolyn downey.

intramurals

last year's student intramural director jerry strong presents overall winner trophy to melrose representative earl eller; skippy liles (left) shared individual point honors with jerry.

rick harris, a member of the myers II tennis champions, returns a serve; other members of the winning team included don chiles, ned boyette, hank ward, tom ellington and robbie rollins.

the 1966-67 intramural council was composed of the above directors and dormitory representatives: *seated, left to right:* dennis adams, student director, coach charles phillips, faculty director, earl eller, student director; *standing:* tom ellington, myers; harold boger, spilman; ford west, brown; jim clayton, treat; andy anderson, melrose; jim kessaris, cottages; *not pictured:* charlie smith, commuters representative.

waynelle wilson and larry atwell teamed together to win the mixed doubles championship.

don chiles emerged ping-pong champion in final match with dave edwards.

myers I defeated the cottages for the football championship; team members are, *kneeling, left to right:* steve culler, rick holbrook, mike daniel, bob mcmanus, bill bruce, richard welsh, jim wylie; *standing:* jerry moore, bill seel, harold corn, pat hodge, gene boone, john mcintosh, tom ellington.

dennis adams presents trophy to commuters team, winners of the basketball championship; *kneeling, left to right:* mickey radcliff, jim warfford, woody ammons, chris harmon, dennis; *standing:* monty vess, larry clark, felton stephens, tommy nix.

The intramural program is a vital part of college life. Perhaps more students participate in this program than in any other on campus. Under the direction of Coach Charles Phillips, student director Earl Eller and Dennis Adams met with representatives from each boy's dormitory to plan and coordinate the calendar of events. From September until May, some phase of this program is underway, giving the boys who do not participate in intercollegiate athletics a chance to develop their skills as well as to join in recreation. At the end of the year, a trophy will be given to the dormitory that has compiled the most points and an individual trophy will be likewise presented to the one person with the most activity points.

Among the sports not represented by picture in the yearbook are badminton, won by Coaches Wood and Walker; boys' ping-pong doubles champions, Don Chiles and Pat Hodge and handball won by Coach Harrell Wood. On the agenda for the spring are softball, track, horseshoes and individual tennis.

myers II emerged victorious over melrose for the volleyball championship. members are. *kneeling. left to right:* hank ward, bill bruce, chip sloan, robbie rollins, tom ellington; *standing:* gene boone, jerry moore. george scruggs, david webster and dennis adams presenting the trophy.

although not an official part of the intramural program, weightlifting is encouraged by the athletic department.

cheerleaders

jane slate and ken goble

betty pate and larry lentz

mack smith and doris hall

linda alt, beth foster, sandy williams, lynn magann

miss virginia hart, adviser

women's recreation association

Every girl enrolled at Mars Hill College is a member of the Women's Recreation Association. Active membership comes with participation in the various activities.

The WRA not only promotes greater interest and wider participation in sports, but creates a love of sports. Through the various intramural and club activities every girl has an opportunity to have fun through participation and fellowship, to exhibit good sportsmanship, and to gain an understanding of her colleagues.

Participation in WRA is a memorable experience. Under the direction of Coach Virginia Hart and Miss Allene Tyler, the organization has provided unique recreational opportunities for many of Mars Hill's young women.

members are, *left to right:* carol whitfield, linda alt, carol campbell, vice-president, robin gilman, treasurer, caroline pond, joanie farrell, secretary, martha ann roe, mavis dowdle, carolyn kelly, judy whitlow, judy henson, jane clanton, kitty fisher, bee mayo, rose parsekian, lynn magann, joy hawkins, judy hill, beverly keller, linda booe, brenda booe, peggy jo smith, peggy privette, becky gurly, dianne mason, mary chan lovell, betty wise, pat dunn, sue mccall, president.

basketball

eleven teams participated in the basketball program headed by carolyn kelly, beverly keller, caroline pond, linda alt, joanie farrell, robin gilman, sue mccall, mavis dowdle, lynn magann, martha roe and joy hawkins.

football

football players included linda alt, sue mccall, diane costner, carol bray, beth davis, claudette cooper, rose parsekian, lee lowder, becky guriey, peggy privette, linda boyd, madelyn davis, brenda witbers, joanie farrell, judy henson, jo ann rouse.

slimnastics gymnastics

the slimnastics-gymnastics club members included rose parsekian, lynn magann, christy payne, robin gilman, linda pitts, cathy gray, jeanne britt

standouts

sue mccall, mavis dowdle, judy hill

crafts

members of the crafts club are susie barnette, judy hill, pat dunn, hilda decker, jo ann paskewich, faye wallace, mary jane collis, pat parker; dean mary logan is the instructor-advisor

archery

members of the archery club are beverly keller, diane cole, brenda lee, joy hawkins, robin gilman, morty roe, mavis dowdle, rose parsekian, beth davis, judy phillips, kathy west.

volleyball

volleyball teams were captained by dowdle, magann, roe, hawkins, kelly, pond, farrell, gilman, mccall, alt, and keller. sue mccall's team emerged champion. team members included cathy broome, carolyn broome, jeannie britt, linda cowan, vivian harris, rose parsekian, pat dunn, janet wamsley.

hiking

members included judy whitlow, ann arledge, jean morgan, janie gibson, jerry green, linda thritt, jo ann paskewich, carol woody

tennis

members included caroline pond, claudette cooper, marlene freck, carolyn fishburne, elizabeth young, sylvia gore, cathy martin

softball

left to right, seated: joanie farrell, becky gurley, joy hawkins, janet wamsley, janie gibson, doris messer; *second row:* peggy privette, mavis dowdle, carol bray, jean dunn, sandy spenser, lee lowder, susan breedlove; *third row:* waynelle wilson, marie fortenbury, morty robin gilman, judith hanes, beverly keller, lynn magann, carolyn kelly

a beginning wandering into infinity
an ending accompanying the beginning
a hope for enrichment of all facets of life
a crude awakening to things never dreamed of
to fail "an ignominious self-defeat"
into a new phase—one of mediocrity
what to do?
not as low as in the past
yet still so far from that omnipresent future
a haunting desire to end it all
an overwhelming wish to stick it out
proudness in defeat and in victory
the decision of a lifetime
the beginning of the end
an ascent of the mountain of idealism
a descent to the valley of realism
it's not as long as it has been
nevertheless; a cloud of inquisitiveness still prevails
a culmination of failures, sorrows, efforts
accomplishments and joys into a pinnacle of fear
the future: for so long over the next obstacle
waits incognito around the corner
a speedy recovery of all that has been accumulated
formation of a patchwork quilt of memories
forever to be a part of our future and our present
we salute thee alma mater

classes

the senior class

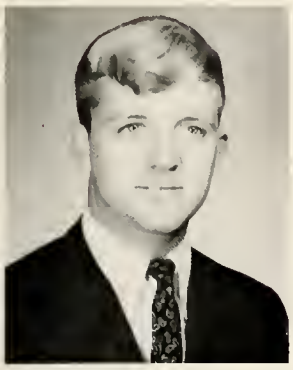
carolyn broome, vice-president

harold corn, president

patsy mcdowell, treasurer

cathy broome, secretary

seniors



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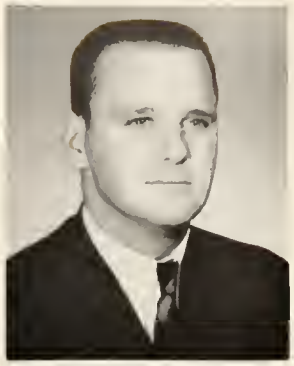

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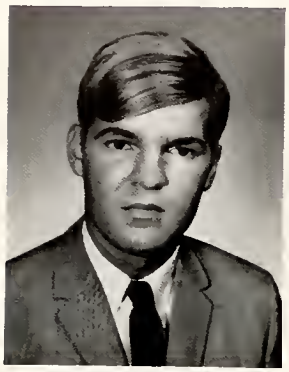

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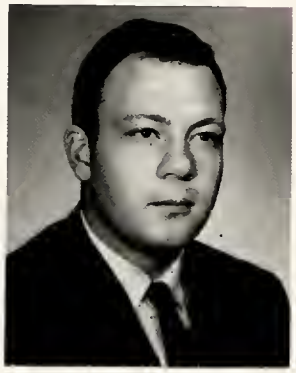

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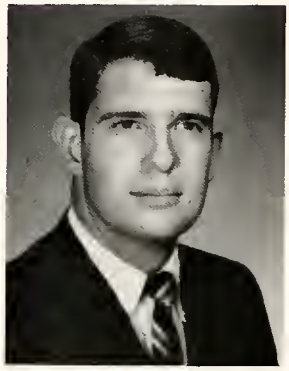

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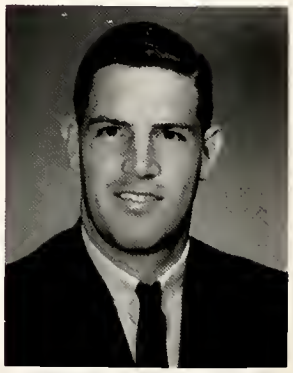

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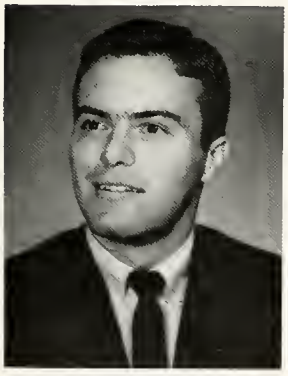

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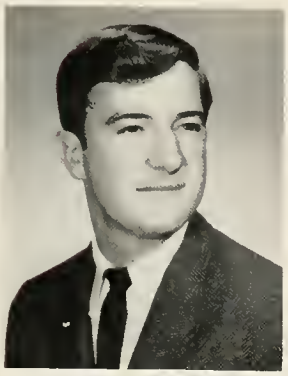

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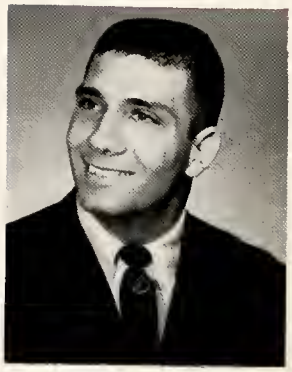

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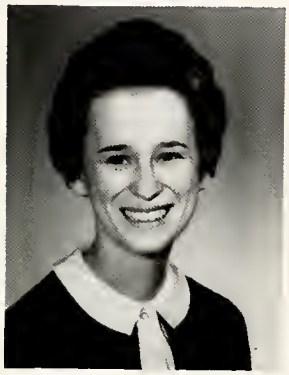

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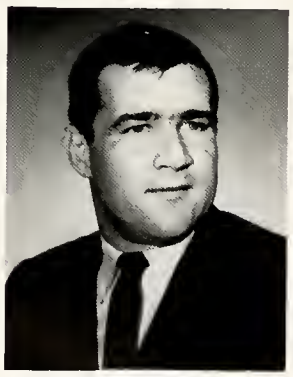

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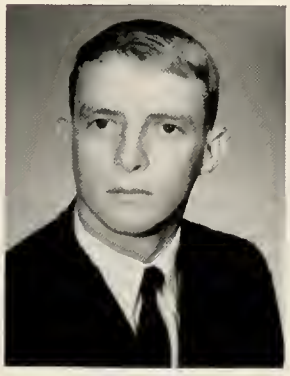

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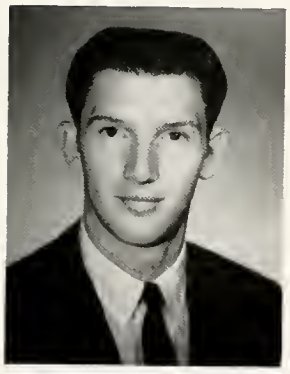

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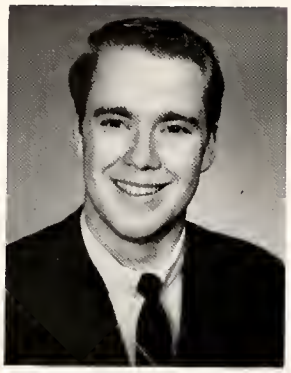

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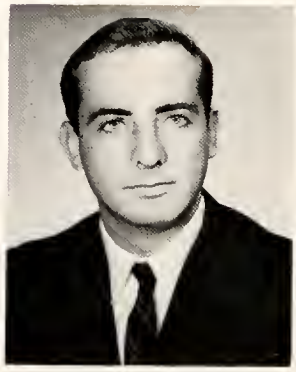

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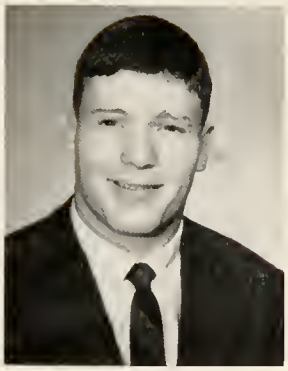

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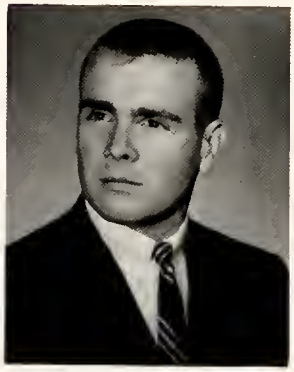

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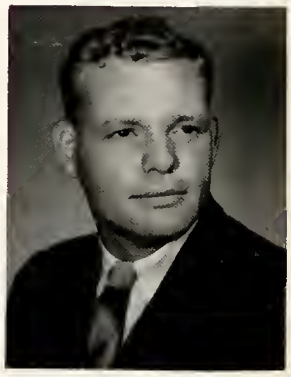

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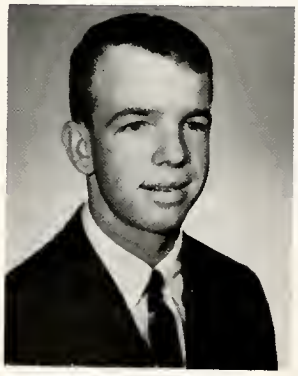

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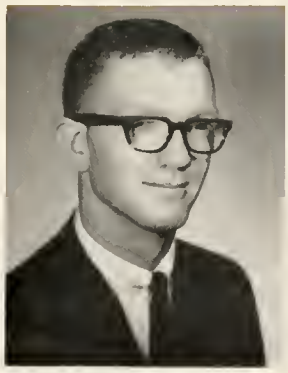

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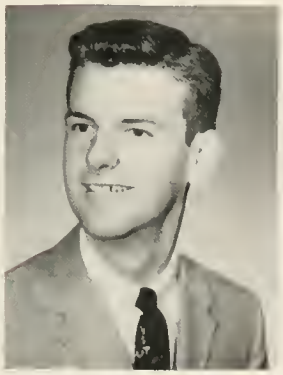

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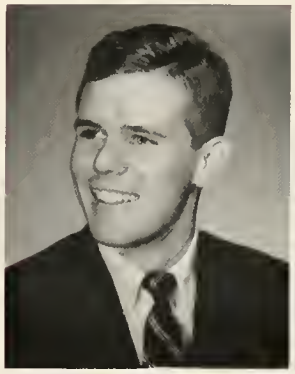

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cherry hill, new jersey

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b.a. elementary education
apex

robert stuart roberson, jr.
b.s. business administration
hazelwood

gloria sharon roberts
b. music, organ
asheville

malinda mae roberts
b.a. religion
boone

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benjamin rogers
b.s. business administration
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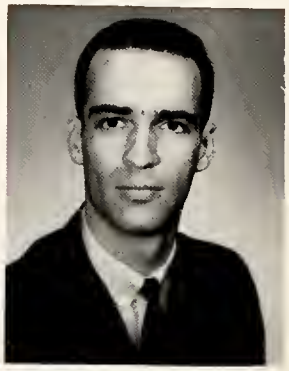

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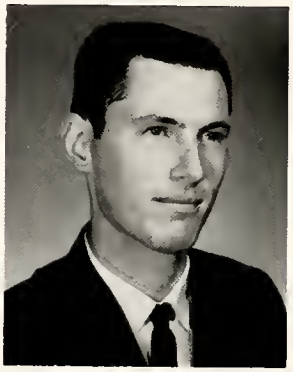

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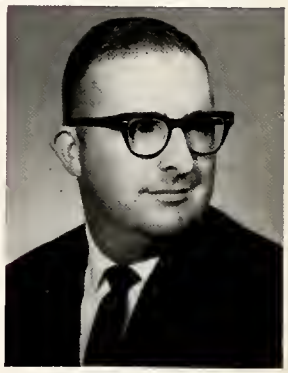

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marion

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b.s. math
weaverville

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marshall

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b.a. elementary education
asheville

jane morris slate
b.s. home economics
winston-salem

keever vinson sloan, jr.
b.s. physical education
greer, south carolina

adrienne kay smith
b. music, piano
asheboro

charles edward smith
b.s. math
mars hill

mack edward smith
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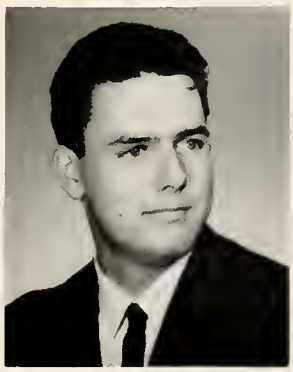
danville, virginia



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erwin, tennessee

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skyland

wanda gay spencer
b.s. math
newton

carolyn robinson sprinkle
b.a. french
marshall

ronda lee stanton
b.a. english
maxton

seniors

betty jean staton
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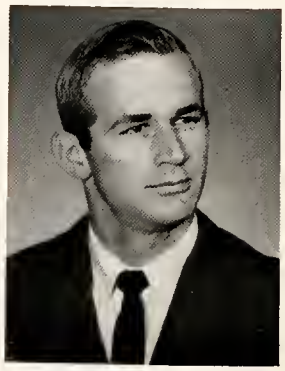

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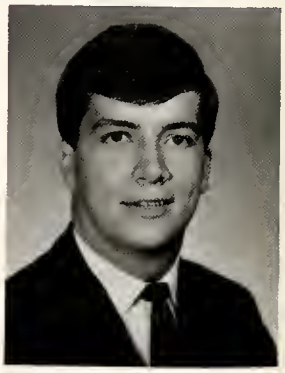

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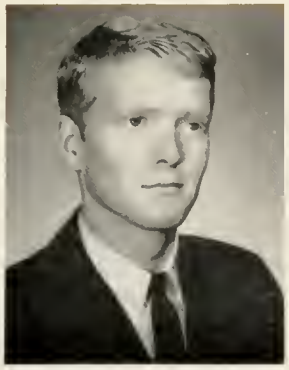

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reba sue vaughn
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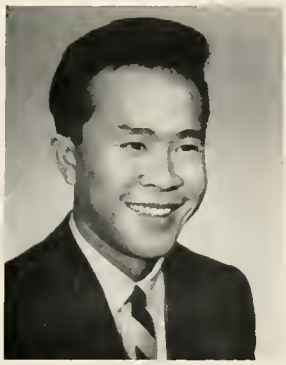

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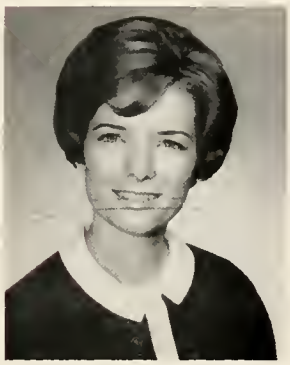

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shelby

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mars hill

henry davis ward
b.s. business administration
lumberton

rita sue ware
b.a. religious education
charlotte

johnny wayne washburn
b.s. business
shelby

charles alan watkin
b.a. history
wilmington, delaware

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frances deetta watson
b.a. art education
andrews

lois jane watts
b.s. biology
statesville

dianne couch weathers
b.a. english
mars hill

william beverley weaver, jr.
b.a. history and economics
newport news, virginia

evelyn morrow west
b.s. chemistry
mars hill

donna jean williams
b.s. home economics
dania, florida

waynelle wilson
b.a. religious education
bakersville

james thomas wylie
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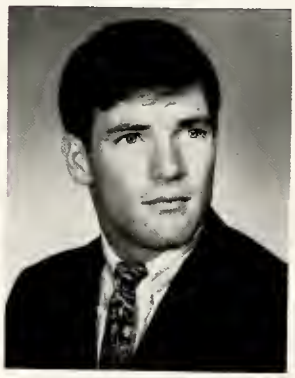

henry howard zion
b.s. biology
fincastle, virginia

seniors not pictured

robert lee anderson
judy allen ball
sibyl ann bell
linda kay bowman
mary virginia bridgers
dinah wall buckner
ronald hubert carpenter
james william clouse
mary emma edwards clouse
harvey ray dotson
john roy dulaney
ben marshall fall
patrick reavis guyer
christopher columbus harman
frank jackson hester
ethel sandra johnson
winston wai-yuen lau
aurelia jane pryor
virginia freeman radford
emily nadine reese
nancy ann wyatt

who's who '67

"Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities" is a bound volume of biographical sketches on outstanding student leaders at colleges and universities throughout the nation. This year twenty-three Mars Hill seniors were chosen for this honor.

Those selected were nominated by a faculty committee and submitted to the editors of the publication. The candidates were chosen on the basis of campus leadership, academic standing, and promise of future usefulness.

To have attained this honor is an accomplishment of which both the student body and the individuals can be proud. The 1967 Laurel salutes the following persons for their achievements:

dave hopstetter; b.a. english and religion; dania, florida

janet snead; b.a. church music
and music education; danville, virginia

bill carter; b.a. history and education;
roanoke rapids

patsy mcdowell; b.a. history and education;
brookneal, virginia

judy hill; b.a. elementary education;
mt. airy

doug echols; b.s. biology and physical
education; mulberry, florida

mike yelton; b.a. drama; gastonia

cathy broome; b.a. elementary education; gastonia

carol campbell; b.a. art; troy

tony hawkins; b.a. english and education; roxboro

linda brookshire; b.a. english and education; lenoir

sue mccall; b.s. physical education; acworth, georgia

ed brown; b.s. business; boone

mack smith; b.s. business; greensboro

carolyn broome; b.a. elementary education; gastonia

judy melton; b.a. elementary education; spindale

paul campbell; b.a. english; rock hill, south carolina

craig covey; b.s. business;
bristol, virginia

nancy matheson; b.a. music education; morristown, tennessee

denny hill; b.a. religion and history; kannapolis

harold corn; b.s. business; zirconia

betty davis; b.a. elementary education;
granite falls

charles dewessee; b.a. english and religion; asheville

the junior class

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cheryl moon, treasurer

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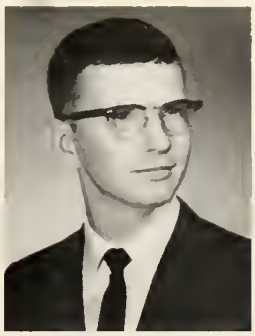
charlotte

elizabeth ann arledge
asheville



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zebulon

wayne allen barber
roanoke, virginia

dixie jean barnette
asheville

mary susan barnette
lincolnton

catherine ann bartles
union mills

rebecca caroline bergen
allentown, pennsylvania

joe brock bingham
miami, florida

daniel jackson bishop
waynesville

juniors

nancy lofton black
winston-salem

william jacob boudman
raleigh

gordon kyle bowling
stuart, virginia

charles hugh boykin, jr.
halifax

william cralle brann, ii
south boston, virginia

george hines bridges
raleigh

jean heather brose
river edge, new jersey

john frederick brower
morristown, new jersey

barry lewis brown
spartenburg, south carolina

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hamlet

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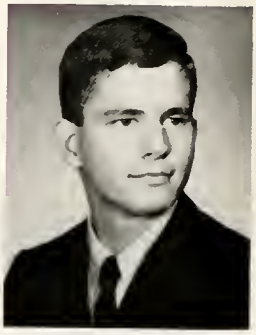
woodleaf

class of '68

philip mark bryson
asheville



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cary

marian cecelia butler
shelby

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jacksonville, florida

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horse shoe

eugenia kipling caldwell
west palm beach, florida

sandra kaye cannon
valdese

beverly carroll cansler
newton

ann rogers cantrell
fort mill, south carolina

john stewart carpenter, jr.
mount holly

garrett kimberly carter
asheville

katy lou cathey
waynesville

charles ho kwok chang
hong kong

david ho kwok chang
hong kong

leslie howard childers
heath springs, south carolina

terry devowell childers
canton

donald settle chiles
greenville, south carolina

larry victor clark
pendleton, south carolina

ruth annette clyde
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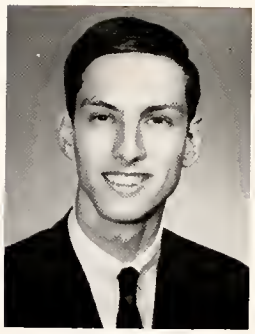
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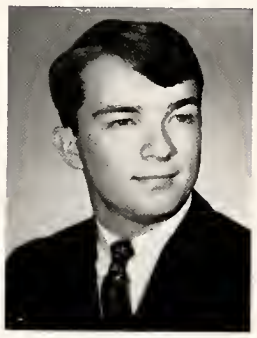
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vienna, virginia

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greenville, south carolina

donald randall dolan
atlanta, georgia

hazel elizabeth douglass
raleigh

sandra lea duck
asheville

charles blanding durant
sumter, south carolina

william lee dyar
atco, georgia

james e. dyar
mars hill

paul davis early, jr.
greensboro

william arthur carp
mars hill

david warren edwards
burnsville

mary edyth edwards
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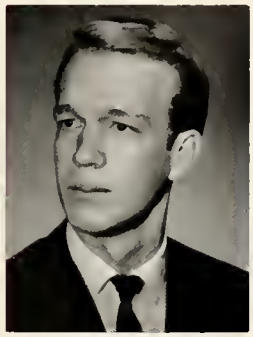
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sumter, south carolina

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joan carol farrell
richmond, virginia

james allen ferger
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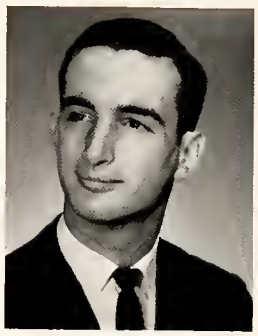

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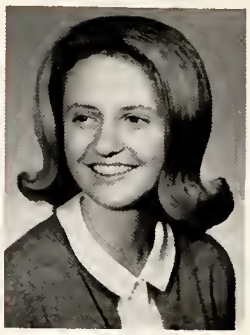
falls church, virginia



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huntsville

sylvia jean fulbright
waynesville

jo claine gaddy
charlotte

monnie gayle gahagan
marshall

richard allen gaskin
lancaster, south carolina

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eva roberta gilman
spartenburg, south carolina

whilton olin gleaton
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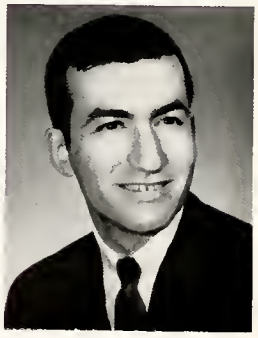
clearwater, florida



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mars hill

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tabor city

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tabor city

rebecca jo graham
candler

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shelby

julia alice greene
granite falls

michael von roth groce
winston-salem

rebecca darlene gurley
hoehensach, new jersey

efstratia hanzas
asheville

elaine marie harris
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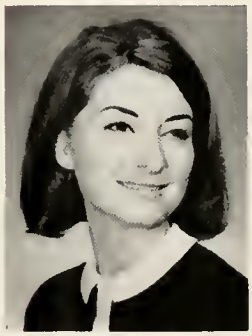

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judy elaine benson
canton

sandra kaye henson
atlanta, georgia

james adger hodge
abbeville, south carolina

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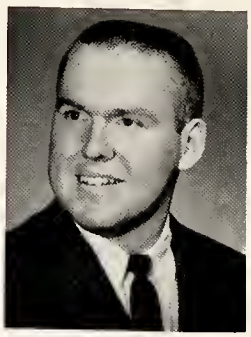
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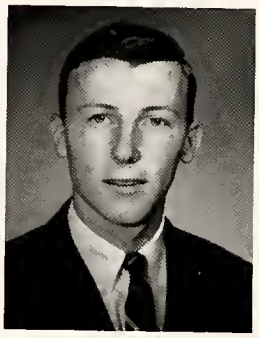
rutherfordton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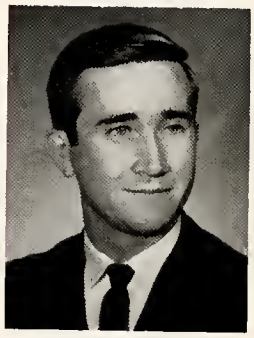
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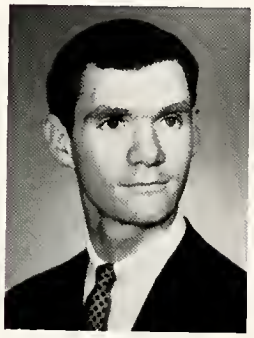
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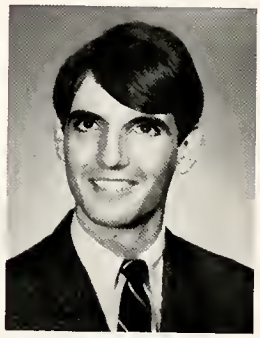
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hampton, virginia

henry nicholas judkins, jr.
surry, virginia

judith ann justice
marion

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kannapolis

david joel keith
willis, virginia

carolyn bertha kelley
sanford

leslie earl keyes, jr.
roanoke, virginia

carolyn ann kinsland
franklin

ann gwynn kirby
asheville

clarence aubrey kirby, iii
shelby

karen lynnette lambert
burlington

ann russell lancaster
roanoke rapids

wayne f. laughter
kings mountain

peggy yvonne ledford
burnsville

nancy joyce lowe
highlands

david wray mcalister
spruce pine

juniors

camilla mae mcdonald
miami, florida

john thomas mcintosh
mt. holly

kathryn marie mclennan
asheville

robert ussery mcmanus, jr.
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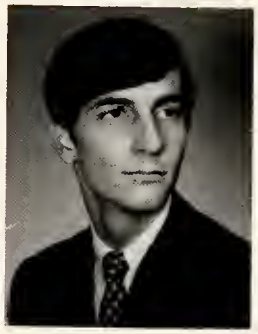

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paul william martin
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diane yvonne mason
silver spring, maryland

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judith ann meadows
leicester

class of '68

teresa gale metcalf
mars hill

jean elizabeth miller
waynesville

charles eugene miller
mars hill

stanley o'neal mock
lewisville

cheryl moon
taylors, south carolina

henry taylor moon
jacksonville, florida

jerald alan moore
homestead, florida

martha sue morris
mt. airy

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diane remell oakley
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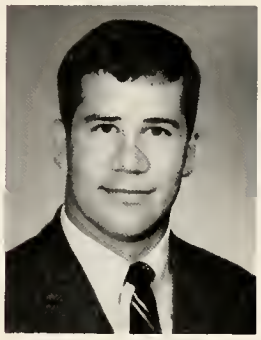

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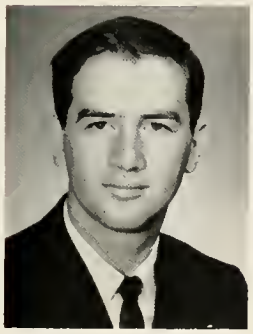

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mars hill

jo ann paskewich
spring hope

eugene david payne
greensboro

carolyn ann peebles
candler

linda kay peppers
marion

william edwin perry, jr.
roebuck, south carolina

van arthur pigate
olanta, south carolina

willa ann plemmons
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jacquelyn anne putnam
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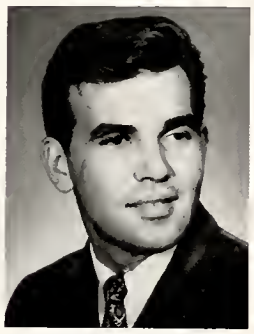

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charlotte

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joel francis reed
union, south carolina

james brinson richardson
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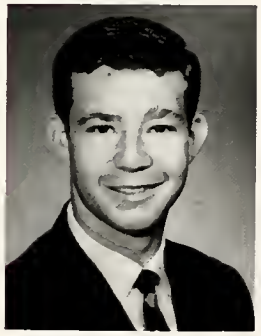

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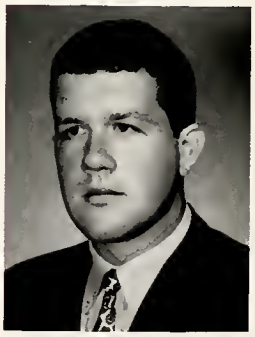

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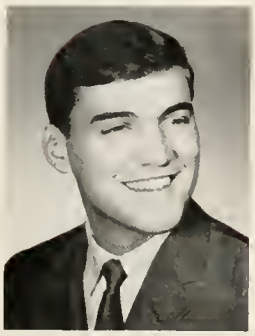

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marshall

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spray

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asheville

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greenville, south carolina

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morganton

alfred donald snipes
roxboro

juniors

june baldwin sorrells
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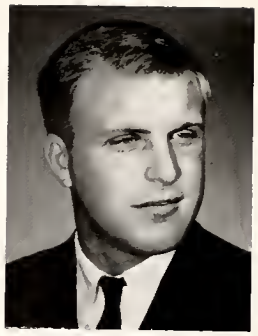

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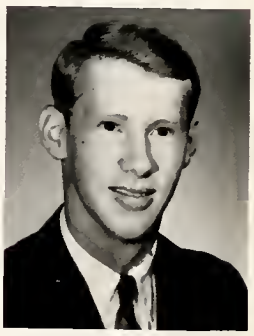

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waynesville

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charlotte

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kinston

margaret jarvis tilson
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lloyd m. toms, jr.
crozet, virginia

myra lynn truell
lexington

gary dwight voss
colfax

patricia hale waldrop
marshall

sara faye wallace
fort mill, south carolina

royce walsh
elk park

kenneth chris ward
jacksonville, florida

richard edward ward
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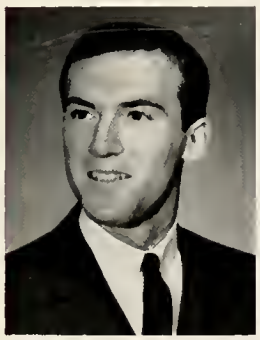
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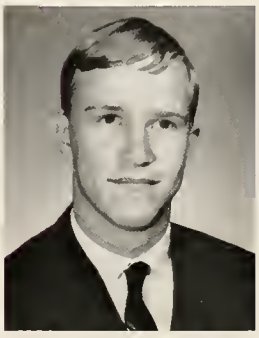
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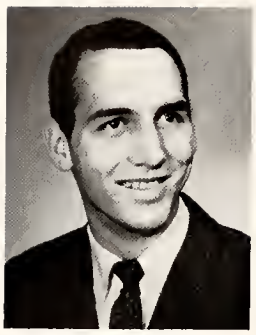

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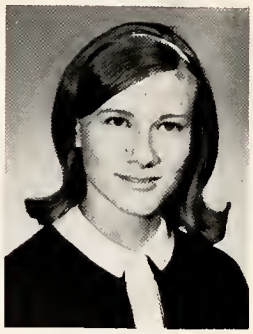

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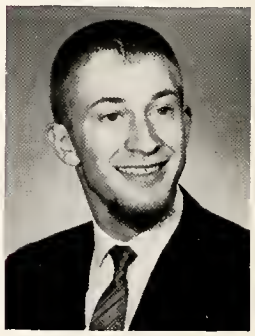

clarence ervin young
weaverville

elizabeth anne young
arden

roy vincent young
weaverville

juniors not pictured

betty ann baker
kenneth lee bell
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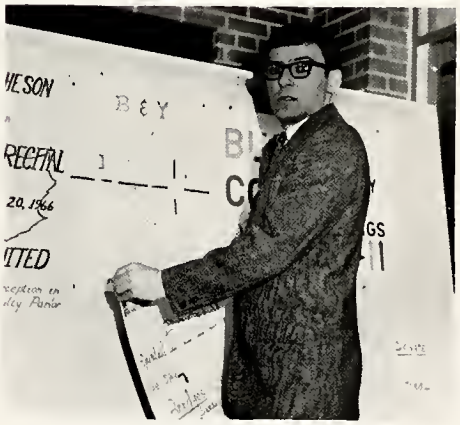
john frederick brower
ray davis
henry grady dowling
frederick eugene dudley
marian s. fall
gene allen garris
william clarence harrell
james barry harris
paul lacks houston
ronald lee howard
horace atley hunter, jr.
robert j. leake
barry glenn mcgraw
jo ellen moncrief
paul ervin peninger
thomas wilbur pritchard, iii
james alvin purvis
morris kay radcliff, jr.
joanne rawlinson
wayne cleveland strickler
edwin latta terry, jr.
charles lewis turbyfill
ronald lee ward
jesse david webster, jr.
diane dubose whiteside
don chancy young, jr.

the sophomore class

ilene sink, secretary

david bunn, vice-president

george anderson, treasurer



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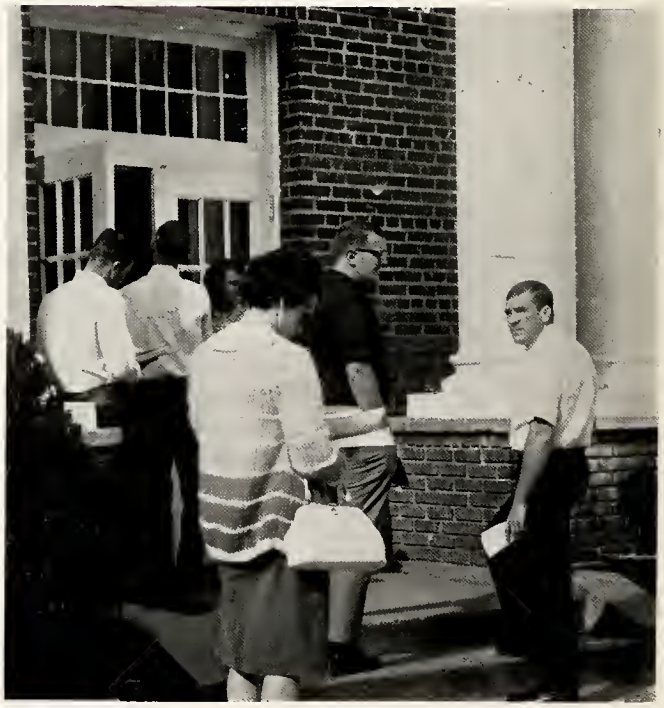

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denton, maryland

dennis adams
rockville, connecticut

carroll lee aldridge
yanceyville

rebecca elaine allen
barnardsville

linda marie alt
richburg, south carolina

david lee anderson
asheville

george lee anderson, jr.
elkin

mary ann anthony
concord

michael lee argersinger
hamburg, new york

cynthia gene arthur
salisbury

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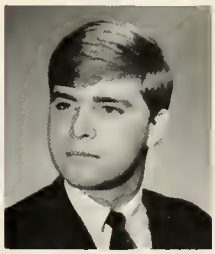
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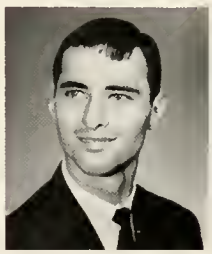
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raleigh

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janice aretha boydston
candler

robert lawrence bradley
augusta, georgia

victoria gean brannan
raleigh

virginia hinson brassell
greenville, south carolina

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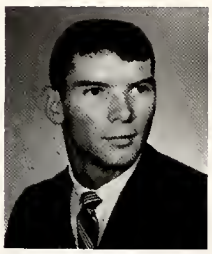
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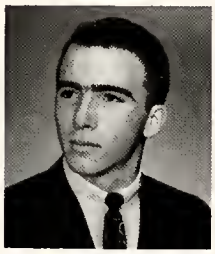
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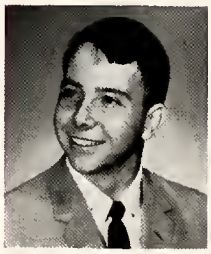
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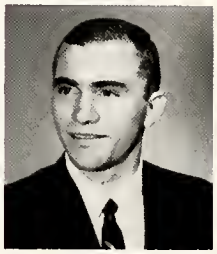
inman, south carolina

class of '69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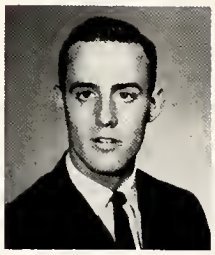
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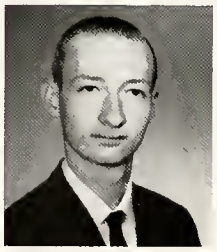
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statesville

margaret elizabeth campbell
new castle, delaware

james edward carroll
forest city

jerry reed carroll
cary

sandra kay carter
fletcher

luis casademunt
newark, new jersey

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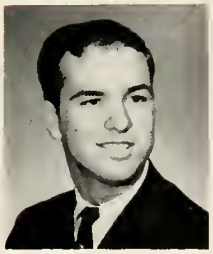
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hickory

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union mills

nancy beth coates
landrum, south carolina

marcia dianne cohn
asheville

thomas grant cole
asheville

kenneth wayne conard
clyde

nancy claudette cooper
burnsville

phyllis ann cooper
easley, south carolina

daphne virginia corbett
atkinson

dianne lynn costner
raleigh

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macon, georgia

francis wilson cox, jr.
roanoke rapids

pamela bernice cox
roanoke rapids

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atlanta, georgia

delores kay crout
cayce, south carolina

pamela gayle culler
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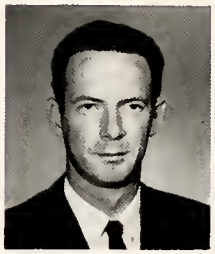
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winston-salem

michael terry deaver
canton

thomas millard denton
clinton

myra alice dickson
lenoir

cynthia ann dixon
vernon hill, virginia

deanna helen dougherty
highstown, new jersey

mavis ann dowdle
franklin

donna kay dowdy
new bern

melvin bennie dowdy, jr.
norfolk, virginia

william robert drake
ware shoals, south carolina

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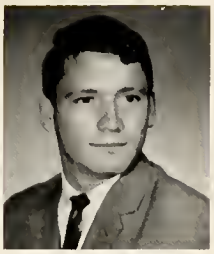
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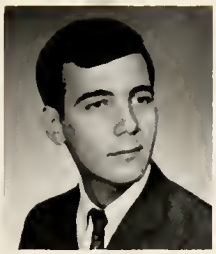
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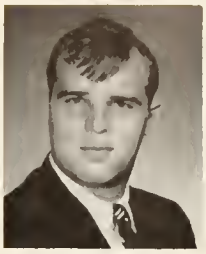
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marilyn kay fisher
asheville

william darrell floyd
marion, south carolina

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john william foster, jr.
columbia, south carolina

sophomores

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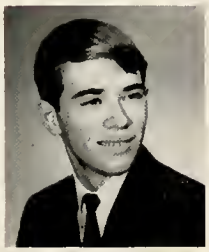
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reidsville

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chantilly, virginia

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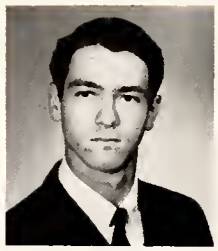
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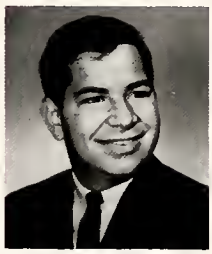
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mocksville

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waynesville

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old fort

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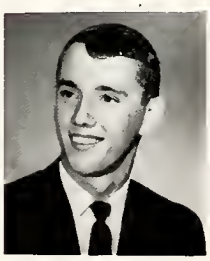
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norval e. hensley
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glenna huff
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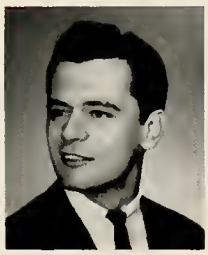
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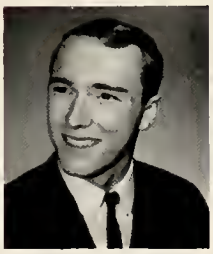
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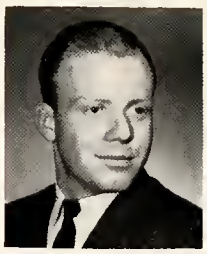
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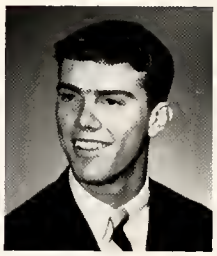
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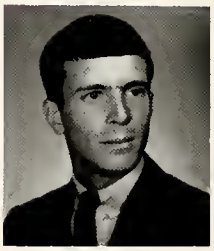
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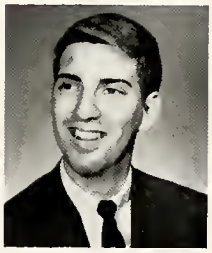
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marble

susan lyday
bryson city

cynthia lynch
franklin

robert mccollum
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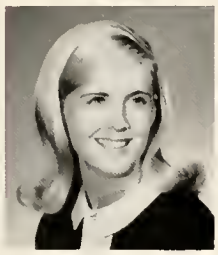
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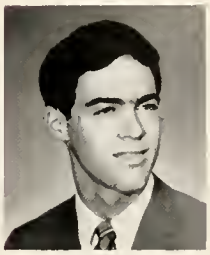
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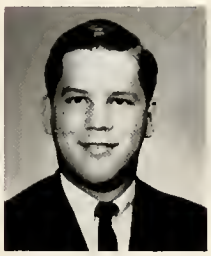
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linda morrison
hendersonville

linda moxley
mars hill

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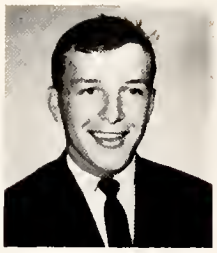
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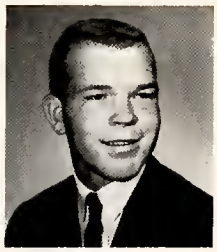
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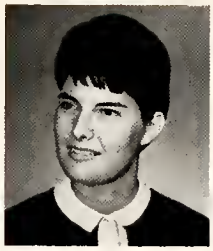
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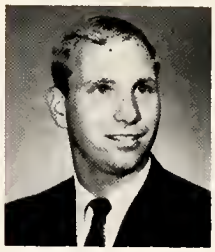
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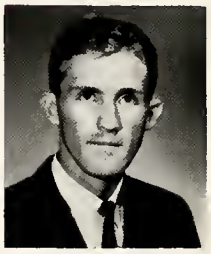
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hot springs

barbara prichard
asheville

peggy privette
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sharon proctor
forest city

ronald proffitt
mars hill

cynthia raby
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ray randall
kinston

thomas rannie
waynesville

gregory rasmussen
fort myers, florida

mary rector
asheville

dorothy reid
horse shoe

randolph reid
asheville

gary reynolds
north wilkesboro

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pinewood, south carolina

bobby rice
mars hill

frances rice
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wanda riddle
burnsville

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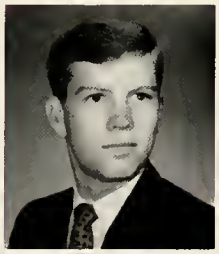
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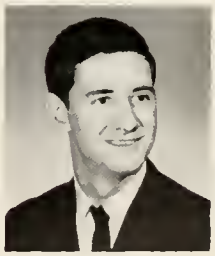
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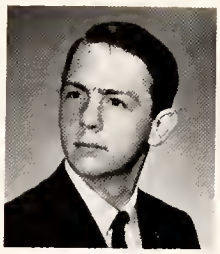
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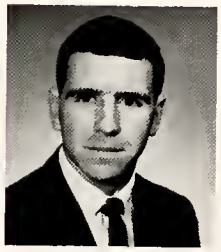
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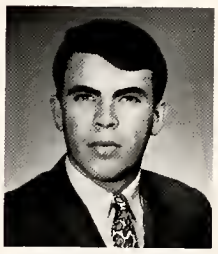
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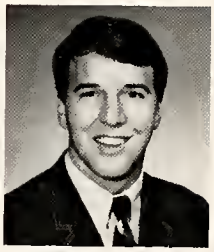
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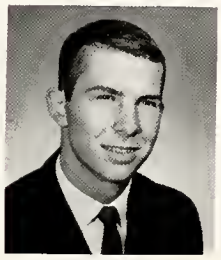
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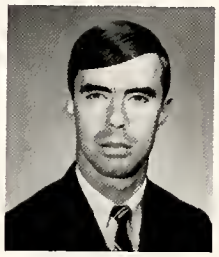
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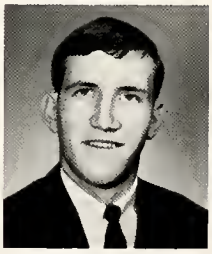
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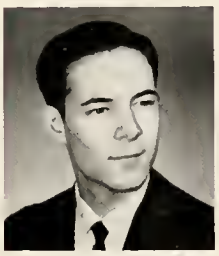
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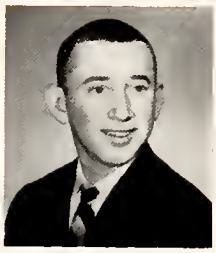
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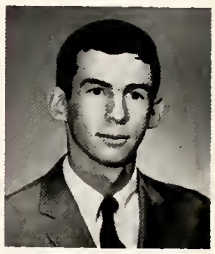
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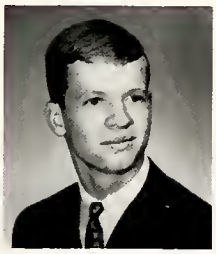
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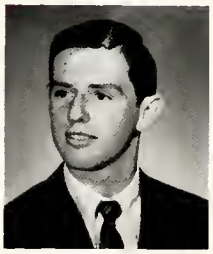
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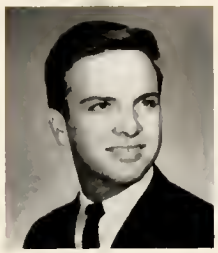

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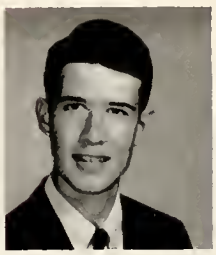

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stephen farkas
maureen ann finnegan
truman allen fisher
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edwin daniel hedgepath
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robert jerome peigler, jr.
judy frances phillips
thomas lyda pressley
jack loudon sanders
kenneth sessoms
william gary shetley
james felton stephens

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helen kugley
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judy hirschberg
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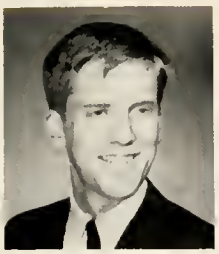
mary belle lawton, vice president

ed griffin and donna williams, senators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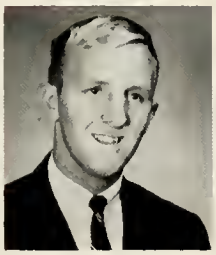
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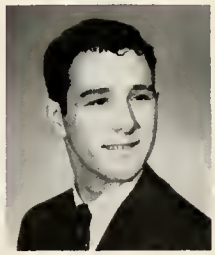
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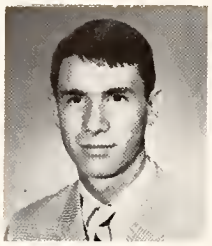
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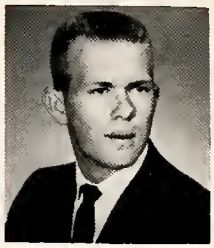
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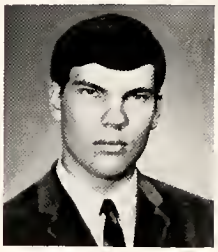
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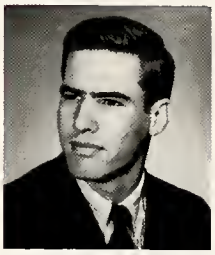
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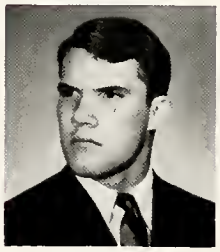
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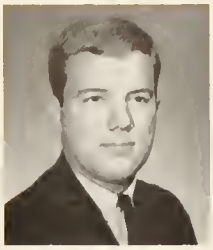
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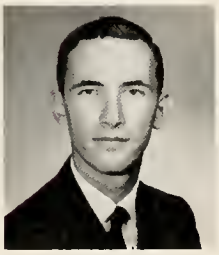
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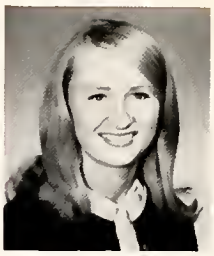
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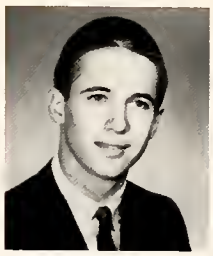
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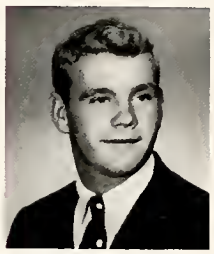
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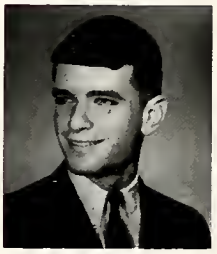
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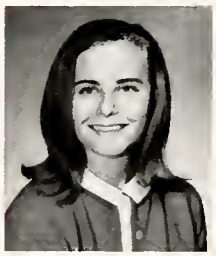
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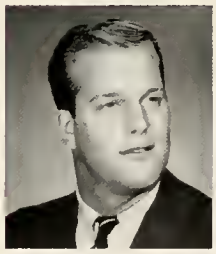
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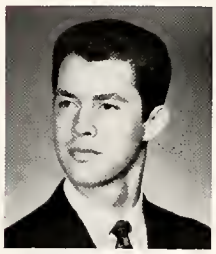
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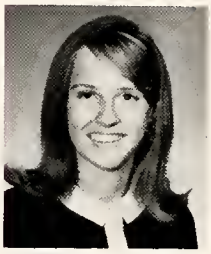
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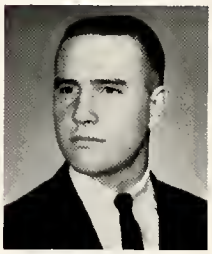
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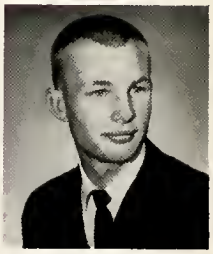
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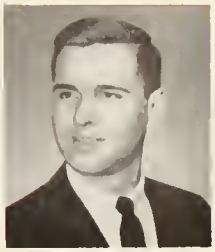
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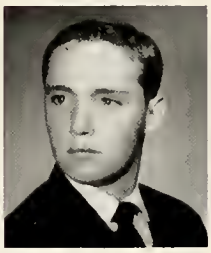
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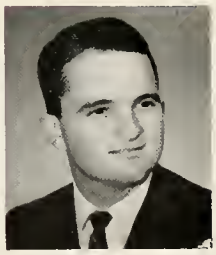
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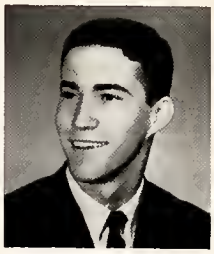
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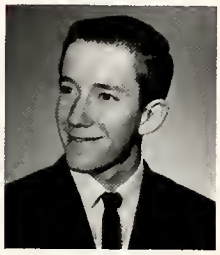
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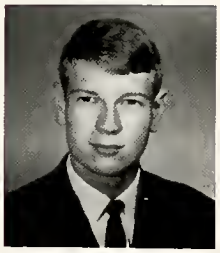
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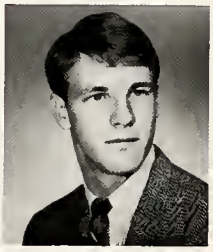
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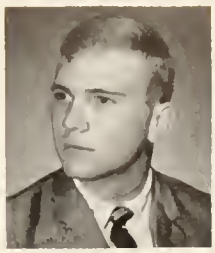
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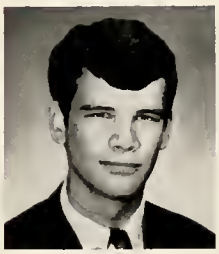
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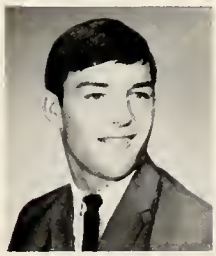
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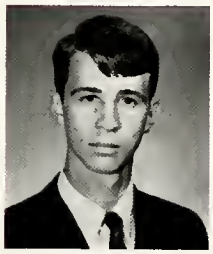
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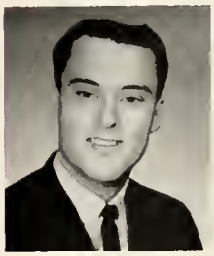
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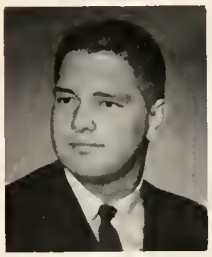
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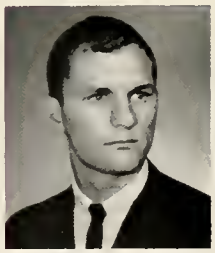
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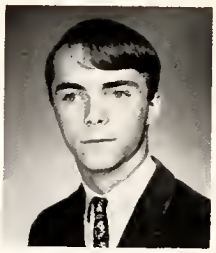
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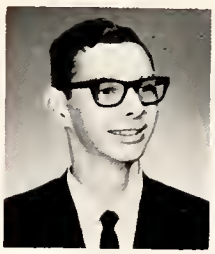
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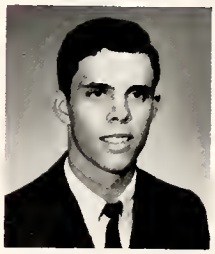
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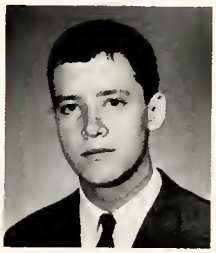
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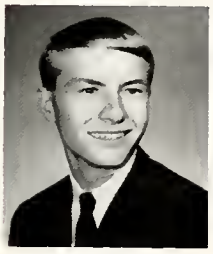
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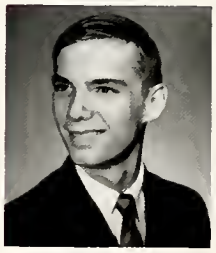
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william francis
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sue ann
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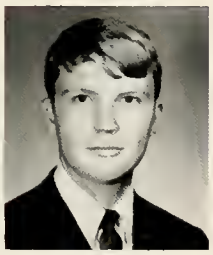
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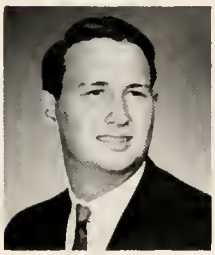
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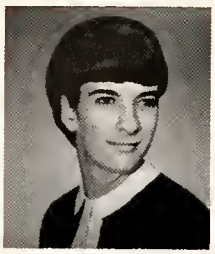
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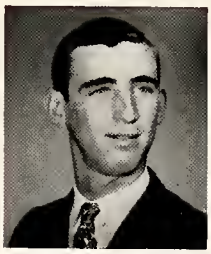
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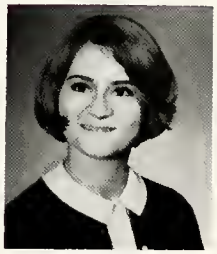
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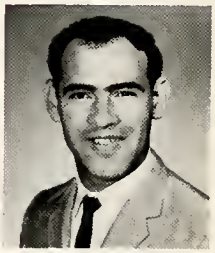
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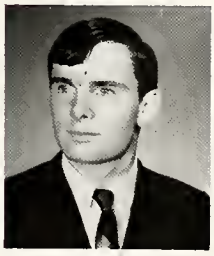
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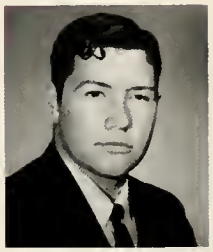
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suggs

james clyde
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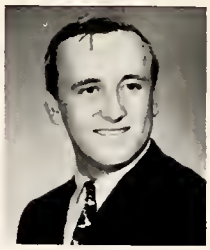
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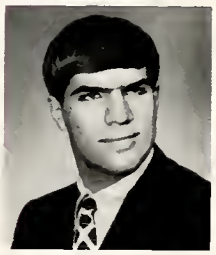
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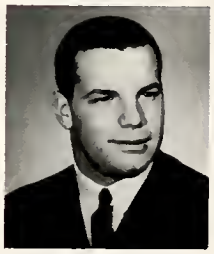
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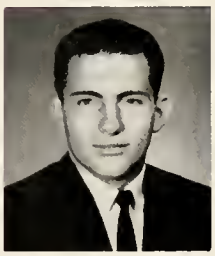
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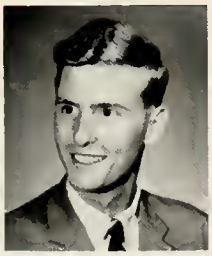
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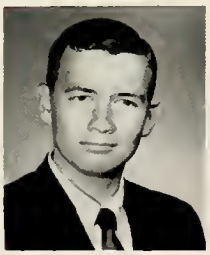
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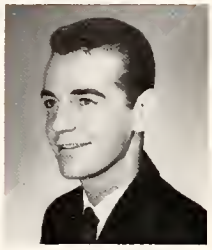

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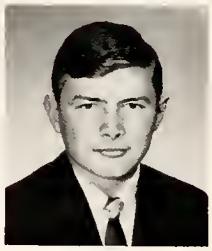

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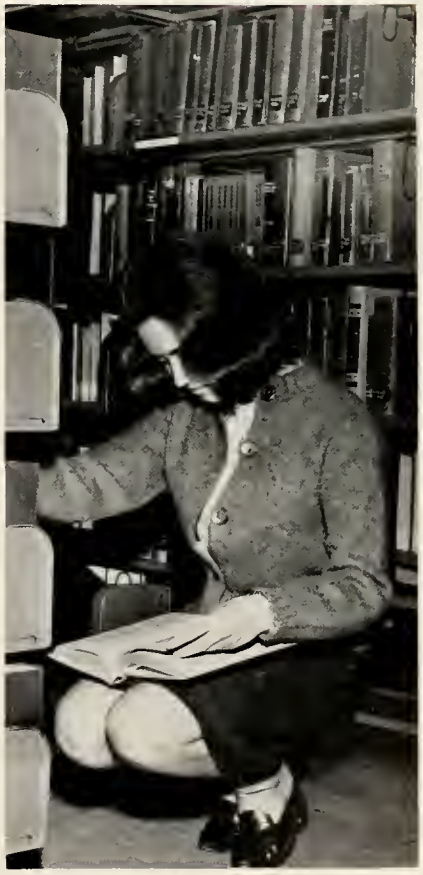

editor's farewell

The closing of a year—this year—is a sobering experience. For some of us at Mars Hill it is not only the close of a year, but the close of our college career. For all, the year's memories are very precious. The 1967 *laurel* is our means to these memories. It is our way to capture the moments we have shared together this year. To the outsider our *laurel* might have little significance—seeming to consist of countless pictures of hundreds of faces—meaningless to them, but everything to us. One picture can bring to us a flood of memories that recall the entire year's activities.

The 1967 *laurel* is a new approach—just a beginning for a college that needs to establish new ideas to meet a new era. It is my sincerest hope that future students, future editors will shape their *laurel* into a book of which we all can be proud—a book which holds our most treasured memories.

Judi Ellis